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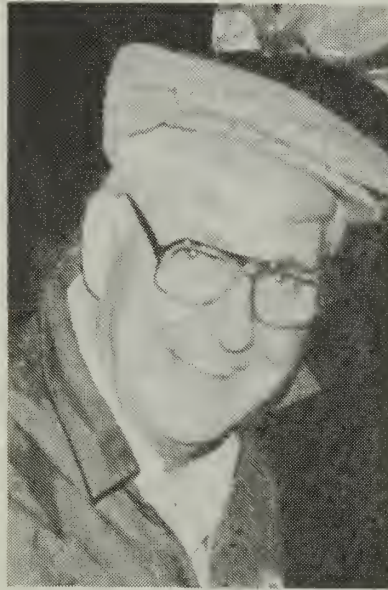


TOWN of HATFIELD

MASSACHUSETTS

1987

DEDICATION



EUGENE F. PROULX

We dedicate the 1987 annual Town Report to Eugene F. Proulx, who has served faithfully on numerous committees and boards for many years. In addition, his organization of the Town's annual Luminarium at Christmastime has brought joy to people near and far. His leadership has been outstanding, and for that reason we have chosen to dedicate this Town Report to him.

--The Board of Selectmen--

TOWN OF HATFIELD
MASSACHUSETTS

INCORPORATED 1670

AREA	ELEVATION	POPULATION
9,300 Acres	132 Feet at Main Street	3,310

STATE SENATOR
FRANKLIN-HAMPSHIRE DISTRICT
JOHN W. OLVER
State House Room 511, Boston MA 02133
(617) 722-1532

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT
FIRST HAMPSHIRE DISTRICT
William P. Nagle, Jr.
State House Room 167D, Boston MA 02133
(617) 722-2692

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS
FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT
Silvio O. Conte
2300 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

SENATORS IN CONGRESS
Edward M. Kennedy
SR-113 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

John F. Kerry
SR-166 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

ANNUAL REPORTS
OF HATFIELD TOWN OFFICERS
FOR THE YEAR 1987

Also Included are the
1988 ANNUAL TOWN MEETING WARRANT
AND FINANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

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The Athenian Oath

We will never bring disgrace to this our town, by any act of dishonesty or cowardice, nor ever desert our suffering comrades in the ranks; we will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the town, both alone and with many; we will revere and obey the town's laws and do our best to incite a like respect in those above us who are prone to annul or set them at naught; we will strive unceasingly to quicken the public's sense of civic duty, thus in all these ways we will transmit this town not only less, but greater and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us.

TOWN OFFICERS FOR 1987

* * * * * ELECTED * * * * *

MODERATOR

Gordon A. Woodward Jr. (1990)

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Edward W. Lesko Jr., Chairman (1988)

George G. Zgrodnik Jr. (1989)

Lynda T. Wendolowski (1990)

TOWN CLERK/TREASURER

G. Louise Slys (1990)

TOWN COLLECTOR

Joanne M. Porada (1990)

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Richard D. Belden, Chairman (1989)

Edward D. Molloy (1988)

Lewis G. Wendolowski (1990)

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Douglas R. Jones, Chairman (1989)

Dorothy M. Breor (1988)

Mary B. Williams (1988)

J. Michael Cahill (1990)

Frank J. Dombkowski (1990)

WATER COMMISSION

Myron J. Sikorski, Chairman (1990)

David J. Michalowski (1988)

Walter R. Thayer Jr. (1989)

TREE WARDEN

Anthony Kolosiewicz (1990)

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Halina W. Wilkes, Chairman (1989)

Ann Marie Walaszek (1988)

Karen Kallipolites (1990)

ELECTOR, OLIVER SMITH WILL

Henry P. Betsold (1988)

CEMETERY COMMISSION

A. Cory Bardwell, Chairman (1989)

Edward S. Kowalski (1988)

William Podmayer (1990)

SEWER COMMISSION

Francis H. Hebert, Chairman (1989)

Norman Moggio (1988)

Frederick J. Dzialo (1990)

BOARD OF HEALTH

Thomas O. Hart, Chairman (1990)

Stanley J. Sliwoski (1988)

Alan K. Cameron (1989)

PLANNING BOARD

A. Cory Bardwell, Chairman (1988)

Edward D. Molloy (1988)

Robert L. Banister (1989)

Robert T. Bartlett Jr. (1990)

Martin W. Holich (1992)

HOUSING AUTHORITY

Donna M. Motyka, Chairman (1991)

Donald A. Lavigne (1988)

Joseph A. Szych (1990)

Mary Smith (1992)

Laura E. Maksimoski (State Appointed
to 7/2/91)

* * * * * APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN * * * * *

AMBULANCE

(Yearly)

Theodore E. Celatka Jr., Manager

J. Michael Riley, Assistant Manager

ARTS LOTTERY COUNCIL

(2-Year Term)

Brenda E. Minisci, Chairman (1989)

Eileen Wilson (1988)

Ruth S. Urell (1988)

Michael V. Ponti (1988)

Barbara R. Brown (1988)

Sandra K. Leary (1988)

Deborah Tobie (1989)

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

(3-Year Term)

Mildred Z. Osley, Chairman (1990)

Helen H. Bardwell (1988)

Joseph V. Porada Jr. (1989)

G. Louise Slys, Town Clerk

CIVIL DEFENSE DIRECTOR

(Yearly)

Robert J. Osepowicz

COMPUTER COMMITTEE

Frank J. Dombkowski

Douglas R. Jones

David W. Stemple

APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN (Continued)

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

(3-Year Term)

Gordon O. Williams, Chairman (1988)

Robert W. Start Sr. (1988)

Chester S. Szawlowski (1988)

A. Cory Bardwell (1989)

Virginia Y. Orson (1989)

Thaddeus L. Kabat (1990)

Dennis Morin (1990)

COUNCIL ON AGING

(3-Year Term)

Donald A. Lavigne, Chairman (1988)

Olga Wendolowski (1988)

Irene M. Dzwil (1989)

Henry P. Betsold (1990)

Joseph Zembiski (1990)

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS COMMITTEE

(Yearly)

Robert J. Osepowicz, Chairman

Theodore E. Celatka Jr.

Anthony J. Gillespie

Myron J. Sikorski

Gregory E. Weeks

DOG OFFICER

(Yearly)

Ronald Lavallee

Ellen Potter, Assistant

EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE

Myron J. Sikorski, Chairman

Theodore E. Celatka Jr.

Anthony J. Gillespie

Thomas O. Hart

Robert J. Osepowicz

Marshall R. Pease

Gregory E. Weeks

ENERGY COORDINATOR

Douglas R. Jones

FENCE VIEWER AND FIELD DRIVER

(Yearly)

Robert W. Start Sr.

HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENT

(Yearly)

Marshall R. Pease

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

(3-Year Term)

Mary Lou Cutter, Chairman (1988)

Robert L. Sawicki (1988)

George H. Ashley III (1989)

Kathleen Z. Grandonico (1990)

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

(5-Year Term)

Christopher V.E. Smith, Chairman (1988)

Albert M. Omasta (1988)

David R. Battey (1989)

Edmund Jaworski Jr. (1990)

Theodore S. Orson (1990)

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT FINANCING AUTHORITY

James Lavallee (1988) (5-Year Term)

Francis H. Hebert (1989)

Teddy C. Smiarowski (1990)

David I. Dulong (1991)

Edward J. Kuchyt (1992)

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS AND SLAUGHTER

(Yearly)

William J. Shea

INSPECTION SERVICES

(Yearly)

Inspector of Buildings - Stanley Maciorowski

Asst. Inspector of Buildings - Stanley Sadowski

Electrical Inspector - Stanley Symanski Jr.

Asst. Electrical Inspector - David M. Lizek

Gas Inspector - Harold B. Lizek

Plumbing Inspector - Walter P. Geryk

Asst. Plumbing Inspector - Richard Banasieski

OPEN SPACE PLANNING COMMITTEE

(Yearly)

Terry A. Blunt, Chairman

Joan E. Cocks

Paul Davis

Dennis C. Morin

Dawn B. Otello-Morin

Thomas E. Matuszko

Frederick J. McLaughlin

Christopher V.E. Smith

PUBLIC WEIGHERS

(Yearly)

Bruce Gordon

Patricia Quick

Calvin Rankin

RECREATION COMMISSION

(3-Year Term)

Bruce G. Brown, Chairman (1990)

Timothy J. Carroll (1988)

Lester E. Kopinto (1989)

Stephen W. Vinelli Jr. (1989)

Janet Douglas (1990)

APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN (Continued)

RIGHT TO KNOW COORDINATOR
(Yearly)
Myron J. Sikorski
Robert J. Osepowicz, Assistant

TOWN ACCOUNTANT
(3-Year Term)
John T. Wilkes (1990)

VETERANS COMMEMORATIVE COMMITTEE
Henry P. Betsold, Chairman
Kenneth R. Balise
Edmund E. Jaworski Jr.
Donald A. Lavigne
Bryan O. Nicholas

VETERANS SERVICES AGENT
(Yearly)
Thomas P. Mullins

WELFARE CHAIRMAN
(Yearly)
Edward W. Lesko Jr.

WOOD SURVEYOR
(Yearly)
Bernard W. Donnis

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
(5-Year Term)
Thaddeus L. Kabat, Chairman (1990)
Giles F. Desmond (1988)
Laurence P. Stoddard (1989)
Kenneth R. Balise, Alternate (1991)
Linton T. Stroud, Alternate (1992)

* * * * * APPOINTED BY MODERATOR * * * * *

FINANCE COMMITTEE
(3-Year Term)
Joseph A. Lavallee, Chairman (1990)
Peter P. Grandonico (1988)
Thomas S. Zigmont (1989)
Edward N. LaCoille (1990)
Thomas J. Hurley (1988)

REGIONAL REFUSE PLANNING COMMITTEE
A. Cory Bardwell
Stanley J. Sliwoski
Leonard VonFlatern Jr.

* * * * * EMERGENCY SERVICES PERSONNEL * * * * *

FIRE DEPARTMENT
Chief Myron J. Sikorski
Asst. Chief Richard D. Belden Sr.
Dep. Chief Edward S. Kempisty
Dep. Chief Donald W. Vollinger
Capt. William A. Belden
Capt. Robert J. Osepowicz
Lt. John T. Pease
Lt. Robert M. Sikorski
Lt. Ronald R. Lavallee

FIREFIGHTERS	
Jan Adamski	Rev. Worth H. Noyes
George W. Balise	R. Scott Pomeroy
Paul J. Bielunis	Matthew S. Reopel
Theodore E. Celatka Jr.	Robert W. Shea Jr.
Brian Celatka	Donald E. Vollinger
Robert J. Ducharme Jr.	Robert Vollinger
Paul C. Growhoski	Richard M. Sikorski
Scott Myers	

POLICE DEPARTMENT
Chief David M. Hurley
Sgt. Paul S. Jagodzinski
Sgt. Gregory E. Weeks

Commissioners (Selectmen)
Edward W. Lesko Jr.
Lynda T. Wendolowski
George G. Zgrodzinski

POLICE OFFICERS
Kenneth Banas
Tracy A. Bouchard
William F. Boyle
Robert W. Englehardt
William Hurley
Thomas J. Osley
Karl S. Sokol
Michael P. Stoddard

CLERK, Susan A. Hurley

HONORARY MEMBER, Henry J. Sliwoski

EMERGENCY SERVICES PERSONNEL (Continued)

AMBULANCE SERVICE

Manager Theodore E. Celatka Jr.

Asst. Manager J. Michael Riley

EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS

Barbara L. Archambault

William A. Belden

Carol L. Benson

Donna J. Cialek

Nancilea Dombkowski

James O. Gagnon

Deborah A. Howard

William J. McGuirk

Gary W. Omasta

Cessie Pelis

Peter Pollard

Michael R. Stoddard

Kate Sullivan

Gregory E. Weeks

Darryl L. Williams

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Board of Selectmen worked very hard this year trying to finish up many outstanding projects.

A ramp for the handicapped on the south side of the Town Hall has been completed and a new electrically-operated door will be installed for easy access.

This year was a difficult and more demanding year because our Circuit Rider, Christopher Whelan, resigned to take a new position in Sandwich, Massachusetts. Many projects had to be placed on hold because we did not have enough time or personnel to get the paperwork ready for them.

The Selectmen applied for and received a grant for \$21,000.00 from the Economic Office of Community Development to fund the position of a full-time administrative assistant for the Town in place of a shared circuit rider. This grant provides funding at 75% the first year, 50% the second year and 25% the third year. We received 21 applications for the post and after a difficult elimination process, Jeffrey Ritter of Agawam was chosen. He will begin working for the Town in mid-February. His attention will be directed toward keeping the Town moving forward by seeking as much aid as possible from the State and Federal Governments. He will be under the direction of the Selectmen but will be available to all Town committees and departments for his expertise and help.

The Brockway Smith Co. project on Chestnut Street was completed this year, bringing the Town a substantial sum of tax revenue. The project helped increase water pressure at very little cost to the Town.

Reconstruction of Linseed Road from Linseed Hill to Old Stage Road and the existing paved portion of Old Stage Road will be completed in 1988 after clearing up some problems with the location of the roads in one or two places. Work will be done by J. H. Maxymillian Inc. of Pittsfield, low bidder for the project.

South and Valley Streets were completed with a top coat of blacktop and a leveling course was put in place on Prospect Street Extension. When funds permit, other streets needing attention such as paving, stoning, oiling and drainage work will be done.

Many unimproved roads are being surveyed to reset the bounds due to problems with Town and individual landowner property lines.

The Board of Selectmen would like to extend its sincere appreciation to all residents, appointed officials and others who have donated their time to the Town of Hatfield to make it a better place in which to live.

Respectfully submitted,
The Honorable Board of Selectmen
Edward W. Lesko Jr., Chairman
Lynda T. Wendolowski
George G. Zgrodnik Jr.

TOWN OF HATFIELD
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
SELECTMEN'S WARRANT

Hampshire, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Hatfield in said Hampshire County, Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet in the Memorial Town Hall in said Hatfield on Tuesday the twenty-sixth day of April, 1988 at seven thirty o'clock in the evening to take action on all other articles except Article 1 and to meet on the third day of May, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to take action under Article 1.

ARTICLE 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the following years: one Selectman for a term of three years; one Assessor for a term of three years; two members of the School Committee each for a term of three years; one Water Commissioner for a term of three years; one Library Trustee for a term of three years; one Elector under the Will of Oliver Smith for a term of one year; one Cemetery Commissioner for a term of three years; one Sewer Commissioner for a term of three years; one Sewer Commissioner for a term of one year; one member of the Board of Health for a term of three years; one member of the Planning Board for a term of five years; one member of the Planning Board for a term of three years; and one member of the Housing Authority for a term of five years.

The Polls will be opened at ten o'clock in the forenoon on Tuesday, May 3, 1988, and kept open until eight o'clock in the evening.

ARTICLE 2: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning July 1, 1988, in accordance with the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 4 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one (1) year and to renew any note or notes that may be given for a period of less than one (1) year in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44, Section 17 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 3: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to apply for, accept and expend any State or Federal Grants that become available in Fiscal Year 1989, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 4: To see whether the Town will authorize its treasurer to enter into a compensating balance agreement or agreements for fiscal 1989 pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 53F of the General laws, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and transfer a sum of money from the State Aid and Libraries Account to the Library Account, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, including appropriation from available funds, the sum of \$54,618.00 as allocated by the Actuary and certified by the County Commissioners to the Town of Hatfield under the provisions of Chapter 32, General Laws of the Commonwealth as amended, and pay said amount to the Treasurer-Custodian of the Hampshire County Retirement System, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the payment of dues to the Lower Pioneer Valley Regional Planning Council, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to transfer a sum of money from the Dog Fund to the Library Account, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the acceptance of a parcel of land by the Board of Selectmen or the Historical Commission, a gift of Rachel and Edward LaCoille, including the Borden Baseline and a maximum fifteen foot wide access thereto northerly from Bridge Street along the westerly border of the LaCoille's property, to be more particularly described in a survey and deed to be recorded in Hampshire County Registry of Deeds, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 10: To see if the Town will vote to further authorize the Hatfield Board of Water Commissioners to construct a pumping station and chlorination facility at the Running Gutter Brook

Reservoir and to authorize the Water Commission to expend a further sum of money to be added to the funds appropriated under Article 10 of the 1987 Annual Town Meeting Warrant for such facilities and to transfer said sum from water available surplus, and allowing the said Commissioners in Fiscal Year 1988 and thereafter, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 11: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$15,000.00 to complete a survey and inventory of historic properties in the Town, and authorize application for gifts and grants in that regard, said sum to be reduced by said gifts and grants, the Town's total share not to exceed \$6,000.00 or take any action relative thereto.

(Not Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 12: To see if the Town will vote to make and declare all fines, fees, late charges and penalties not already paid into the general treasury or special fund of the Town, collected by any person, officer, department, board, authority, or other individual or entity, collecting the same under municipal authority, the property of the Town and payable into its general fund, to the extent now allowed by law; and to amend the Town By-Laws to the extent necessary to effect the foregoing; or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 13: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$8,000.00 to meet the cost of the Town's share of Chapter 90 road construction for fiscal year 1989, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 14: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate and to transfer from sewer rates and revenues a sum of money for sewer expenses, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 15: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the rebuilding of storm and sewer structures, the reclaiming of existing blacktop, and repaving in the area of Main Street from School Street to King Street, and for related work, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Not Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 16: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the payment of the following unpaid bills from the Recreation Department and appropriate the sums of money therefor:

Barry's Nursery	-	\$320.00
Arts & Crafts Wholesale, Inc.	-	\$ 24.14
Bruce Brown (reimbursement)	-	\$ 25.18

and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 17: To see if the Town will authorize the payment of an unpaid bill in the amount of \$1,060.00 to pay the Fire Control Services of New England, Inc. for firefighter's coats ordered and delivered, and to appropriate a similar sum of money for such purposes, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 18: To see if the Town will appropriate the net sum of \$60,000.00 to acquire a new S-7 yard heavy duty dump truck with radio, sander body, snowplow and plowframe, said acquisition to be accomplished by any one or more of the following means: purchase, rental, lease, lease-purchase, including any lease or rental with option to purchase, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 19: To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$8,500.00 for copiers at Town Hall, including the acquisition of a copier, said acquisition to be accomplished by any one or more of the following means: purchase, rental, lease, lease-purchase, including any lease or rental with option to purchase, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 20: To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to remove asbestos from the Dickinson Memorial library

building, and authorize the application for and acceptance of grants in these regards, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

Article 21: To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for the installation of a boiler and related wiring and thermostat for the Dickinson Memorial library building, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 22: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money to survey the Lions Pavillion, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Not Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 23: To see if the Town will accept the provisions of Sections 44A to 44K inclusive of Chapter 40 of the General Laws providing for the establishment of a regional refuse district, together with any or all of the Towns of Amherst, Belchertown, Chesterfield, Cummington, Easthampton, Goshen, Hadley, Huntington, Middlefield, Pelham, Plainfield, Southampton, South Hadley, Westhampton, Williamsburg, and Worthington, and the construction, maintenance, and operation of a regional refuse disposal facility by said district in accordance with the provisions of a proposed agreement filed with the Board of Selectmen.

ARTICLE 24: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or otherwise provide a sum of money for operational and administrative expenses of the regional refuse district and expenses of the Hampshire County Regional Refuse Planning Board, or take any other action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 25: To see if the Town will vote to authorize a contract and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of obtaining two or more so-called "roll-off containers" to be placed at the municipal landfill for the collection of recyclables, including glass, aluminum, ferrous containers, newspaper, and corrugated paper, and further authorize the Board of Health to adopt rules and regulations governing the use of said containers, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds

in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 26: To see if the Town will vote to amend ARTICLE TWO, Section 2.2 of its Zoning By-Laws entitled "LOCATIONS OF DISTRICT: ZONING MAP" and the "Official Zoning Map of Hatfield, Massachusetts" made a part thereof, as amended by amending the zone of said map as to the following parcel of real estate: Town of Hatfield Assessors Map #12, parcel #63 assessed to the Valley Advocate from its current Industrial zoning to Business zoning, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 27: To see if the Town will vote to amend ARTICLE TWO, Section 2.2 of its Zoning By-Laws entitled "LOCATIONS OF DISTRICTS: ZONING MAP" and the "Official Zoning Map of Hatfield, Massachusetts" made a part thereof, as amended by amending the zone of said map as to the following parcel of real estate: Town of Hatfield Assessors Map #8, Parcels 62 and 63 assessed to William Mazuch from its current Industrial zoning to Agricultural-Residential B zoning, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 28: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money for the School Department for the following purposes:

- (a) to provide a ventilation system for the Art Room and Photography Lab at Smith Academy, and
- (b) to subdivide the resource room at the Breor Elementary School

and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 29: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the acceptance of an Equal Educational Opportunity Grant in the amount of \$78,566.00, or to take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 30: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of \$10,000.00 to equip an emergency vehicle, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Not Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 31: To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$3,500.00 for the installation of a new septic system at the Town Highway Garage, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

(Recommended by Finance Committee)

ARTICLE 32: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Moderator and the Board of Selectmen to appoint a fire truck study committee to consider and make recommendations regarding the purchase of a new fire truck and the rebuilding of existing fire trucks, said committee to report to the Board of Selectmen within six months, and to appropriate a sum of money for such purchases or rebuilding of fire trucks as may be authorized by the Board of Selectmen, and to determine whether said sum shall be provided by taxation, by transfer from available funds in the Town Treasury, by transfer from the stabilization fund, or by any combination of these methods, or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 33: To see if the Town will vote to authorize and allow the Board of Selectmen to create and administer an Ambulance Trust Fund for the purpose of equipping Town ambulances and ambulance personnel and of purchasing ambulances, and to further allow them to apply for grants, and accept gifts to said Fund, any interest earned or other income from said Fund to be retained therein.

ARTICLE 34: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the correction of the layout of Old Stage Road from that set forth pursuant to Article 24 of the 1973 Annual Town Meeting Warrant to that set forth in the plan entitled "Relocation of Old Stage Road, Hatfield, Massachusetts As Laid Out by the Town of Hatfield Board of Selectmen", Scale 1" = 40', dated February 6, 1975, Harold L. Eaton, R.L.S. on file in the office of the Town Clerk, and in furtherance thereof, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, to authorize the Board of Selectmen and any other municipal board, commission, or other entity or officer to accept gifts of land reasonably necessary for said relocation and to execute such deed or deeds as may be necessary to convey to owners of adjacent land such land as may be rendered unnecessary to the Town by virtue of said relocation.

ARTICLE 35: To see if the Town will vote to determine what sums of money the Town will raise and appropriate, including appropriations from available funds; to defray the charges and expenses for the Town, including debt and interest; to set the salaries for all elected officials in accordance with provisions of Chapter 41, Section 108 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth; and to provide

for a Reserve Fund for the ensuing year or take any action relative thereto.

ARTICLE 36: To see if the Town will vote to allow the Assessors to use a sum of free cash to keep the Town within the limits of Proposition 2 1/2, or take any action relative thereto.

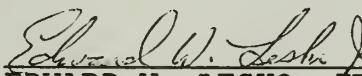
ARTICLE 37: To see if the Town will vote to hear any and all reports which have to do with the welfare of the Town, or take any action relative thereto.

And you are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof in five (5) places in the Town of Hatfield, at least eight (8) days before the time of said meeting.


HEREOF FAIL NOT, and make due return of this Warrant with your doings thereon to the Clerk at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 9th day of March, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-eight.

SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF HATFIELD


EDWARD W. LESKO, JR., CHAIRMAN


LYNDA T. WENDOLOWSKI


GEORGE G. ZGRODNIK, JR.

FINANCE COMMITTEE REPORT
Proposed FY 1989 Budget

	FY 1988 Appropriated	FY 1989 Requested	FY 1989 Recommended
1. Moderator	\$ 80.00	\$ 80.00	\$ 80.00
2. Selectmen's Salaries	7,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00
Chairman \$3,000.00			
2 members \$2,500.00 each			
3. Selectmen's Expense	4,000.00	4,350.00	4,350.00
4. Administrative Assistant Wages	8,334.00	9,700.00	9,700.00
5. Administrative Assistant Expense	835.00	2,300.00	2,300.00
6. Accountant's Wages	10,000.00	14,000.00	14,000.00
7. Accountant's Expense	840.00	925.00	925.00
8. Auditor of Town Records	4,500.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
9. Treasurer's Salary	14,017.00	17,000.00	15,500.00
10. Treasurer's Expense	3,800.00	4,585.00	4,585.00
11. Collector's Salary	14,000.00	16,000.00	17,490.00*
12. Collector's Expense	3,300.00	3,950.00	3,950.00
13. Assessor's Salaries	9,000.00	10,380.00	10,000.00
14. Assessor's Assistant	18,400.00	19,688.00	19,504.00
15. Assessor's Expense	5,000.00	5,535.00	5,500.00
16. Town Clerk's Salary	7,811.00	8,000.00	9,000.00*
17. Town Clerk's Expense	840.00	900.00	900.00
18. Town Hall Secretarial Staff Wages	32,000.00	38,590.00	38,590.00
19. Town Counsel	6,500.00	6,500.00	6,500.00
20. Legal/Professional Expense	3,500.00	3,500.00	3,500.00
21. Town Official's Court Account	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
22. Update Town Lawbooks	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
23. Election & Registration Wages	3,490.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
24. Election & Registration Expense	425.00	625.00	625.00
25. Elector's Salary (Oliver Smith Will)	15.00	15.00	15.00
26. Planning Board Expense	1,300.00	3,200.00	2,700.00
27. Zoning Board of Appeals Expense	370.00	1,515.00	1,500.00
28. Conservation Commission Expense	650.00	650.00	650.00
29. Finance Committee Expense	125.00	300.00	300.00
30. Historical Commission Expense	2,500.00	10,810.00	3,000.00
31. Industrial Development Commission	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
32. Public Buildings Maintenance Wages	6,858.00	7,269.00	7,269.00
33. Public Buildings Maintenance Expense	17,000.00	18,850.00	18,850.00

*Without Fees

PUBLIC SAFETY

34. Police Department Salaries	39,959.00	43,620.00	46,057.00
35. Police Department Expense	16,050.00	17,100.00	17,100.00
36. Fire Department Salaries	11,379.00	12,265.00	12,000.00
37. Fire Department Expense	13,908.00	14,150.00	14,150.00
38. Ambulance Wages	8,000.00	9,500.00	9,500.00
39. Ambulance Expense	7,220.00	13,670.00	13,670.00
40. Right to Know Wages	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
41. Right to Know Expense	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
42. Tree Warden Wages @ \$7.00/hour	700.00	700.00	700.00
42A. Tree & Moth Department Expense	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
43. Civil Defense Wages	450.00	450.00	450.00
44. Civil Defense Expense	4,000.00	4,975.00	4,975.00
45. Dog Officer Wages	750.00	750.00	750.00
46. Dog Officer Expense	700.00	700.00	700.00
47. Field Driver & Fence Viewer	175.00	175.00	175.00

	FY 1988 Appropriated	FY 1989 Requested	FY 1989 Recommended
48. Inspection Services Salaries	\$ 13,250.00	\$ 13,250.00	\$ 13,250.00
49. Inspection Services Expense	1,075.00	1,075.00	1,075.00
50. Emergency Planning Committee	--	11,000.00	--
51. Emergency Planning Expense	--	18,940.00	5,000.00
 HEALTH & SANITATION			
52. Inspector of Animals & Slaughter	200.00	200.00	200.00
53. Visiting Nurse Expense	6,998.00	--	--
54. Sewer Commissioners' Salary	2,050.00	2,200.00	2,200.00
55. Sewer Department Wages	55,000.00	55,927.00	54,904.00
56. Sewer Department Expense	75,000.00	76,760.00	76,760.00
57. Board of Health Salaries	1,650.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
58. Board of Health Expense	6,100.00	8,700.00	8,700.00
59. Mosquito Control	2,500.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
60. Regional Refuse Planning Commission	50.00	50.00	50.00
61. Solid Waste & Dump Maintenance Wages	10,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
62. Solid Waste & Dump Maintenance Expenses	60,000.00	127,950.00	127,950.00
 HIGHWAYS & ROADS			
63. Highway Department Wages	121,000.00	132,817.00	132,817.00
64. Highway Department Overtime	8,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00
65. Highway Department Operating Expense	167,500.00	186,440.00	185,200.00
66. Streetlights	18,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00
 VETERANS' SERVICES			
67. Veterans' Service Salaries	450.00	450.00	450.00
68. Veterans' Service Expense	2,300.00	2,300.00	2,300.00
69. Veterans' Pensions (Chapt. 32, Sect. 58)	835.00	835.00	835.00
70. Memorial Day Parade	1,430.00	1,675.00	1,675.00
 EDUCATIONAL SERVICES			
71. Schools	1,379,515.00	1,586,069.00	1,576,969.00
72. Vocational Tuition & Transportation	106,265.00	98,158.00	98,158.00
73. Library Wages	10,767.00	10,266.20	11,226.00
74. Library Expense	12,133.00	14,603.00	13,643.00
 SPECIAL SERVICES			
75. Council on Aging Wages	3,705.00	3,900.00	4,500.00
76. Council on Aging Expense	800.00	1,300.00	800.00
77. Transportation of Elderly Wages	3,700.00	5,350.00	5,720.00
78. Transportation of Elderly Expense	1,900.00	1,900.00	1,900.00
79. Recreation Wages	1,300.00	1,674.75	1,674.00
80. Recreation Expense	2,790.00	3,810.00	3,810.00
81. Arts Lottery Council Expense	25.00	25.00	25.00
82. Computer Software Support & Supply Expense	9,145.00	13,980.00	13,980.00
83. Office Supplies & Equipment	3,000.00	4,000.00	4,350.00
84. Print/deliver Town Reports	4,200.00	4,500.00	4,500.00
85. Finance Committee Reserve Fund from Overlay Surplus	25,000.00	35,000.00	35,000.00
 MISCELLANEOUS & UNCLASSIFIED			
86. Bind Town Records	400.00	400.00	400.00
87. Insurance	115,000.00	118,000.00	118,000.00
88. Chapter 32B Insurance (Employer)	58,600.00	70,300.00	78,150.00

	FY 1988 Appropriated	FY 1989 Requested	FY 1989 Recommended
89. Town Clock Maintenance	\$ 1,700.00	\$ 700.00	\$ 700.00
90. Unclassified	400.00	400.00	400.00
ENTERPRISE SERVICES			
91. Water Commissioners' Salary	1,800.00	2,700.00	2,200.00
92. Water Department Wages	27,000.00	33,000.00	33,000.00
93. Water Department Expense	30,000.00	50,550.00	50,550.00
94. Cemetery Expense	5,300.00	5,000.00	5,000.00
INTEREST & MATURING DEBT			
95. Interest Probable	50,000.00	50,000.00	50,000.00
96. School Loan Junior & Senior High	160,000.00	160,000.00	160,000.00
97. Interest on School Loan	116,560.00	106,640.00	106,640.00
98. Wellhead & Pumping Station Loan	15,625.00	15,625.00	15,625.00
99. Interest on Water Loans	6,234.00	4,547.00	4,547.00
100. Water Loans-Ground Water Connection	8,750.00	8,750.00	8,750.00
			<u>\$3,415,393.00</u>

FINANCE COMMITTEE FY 1989 BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS

Budget to be Raised FY 1989
July 1, 1988 to June 30, 1989

Total to be raised as proposed for departmental operations & fixed operating costs per Finance Committee Report	\$3,415,393.00
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Recommended financial articles
per April 26, 1988 annual Town Meeting Warrant

Article 6	Raise and Appropriate	\$ 54,618.00	
Article 10	Water Available Surplus	65,000.00	
Article 13	Raise and Appropriate	8,000.00	
Article 16	Raise and Appropriate	369.32	
Article 17	Raise and Appropriate	1,060.00	
Article 18	Stabilization Fund	60,000.00	
Article 19	Stabilization Fund	8,500.00	
Article 20	Raise and Appropriate	10,000.00	
Article 21	Raise and Appropriate	5,000.00	
Article 28	Raise and Appropriate	8,500.00	
Article 31	Raise and Appropriate	<u>3,500.00</u>	224,547.32

Other funds to be raised

State and County Charges (Cherry Sheet)	\$ 3,295.00	
Allowance for Abatements & Exemptions on Property	80,000.00	
Tax Commitments (Overlay)		
Offset Spending (Cherry Sheet)	<u>92,502.00</u>	175,797.00
Total amount to be raised for FY 1989 as recommended by Finance Committee		Est. <u><u>\$3,815,737.32</u></u>

PROPOSED FUNDING TO BALANCE FY 1989 BUDGET

Taxation on Levy Limit (Proposition 2½) FY 1989	\$1,732,098.00
Local Receipts (From all other sources)	428,000.32
State Aid from Cherry Sheet Estimates FY 1989	937,334.00
Available Funds:	
Water Surplus	\$178,972.00
Sewer Surplus	135,364.00
Overlay Surplus	35,000.00
Other Available Funds	<u>113,972.00</u>
	463,308.00
Allocation of Free Cash to balance FY 1989 budget proposals	<u>\$3,560,740.32</u>
Recommended Total Revenues FY 1989	254,997.00
	<u><u>\$3,815,737.32</u></u>

FREE CASH ESTIMATES

Available Free Cash as certified 7/1/87	\$ 631,464.00
Appropriations of Free Cash 7/1/87 to present	-0-
Estimated Free Cash Available	<u>\$ 631,464.00</u>
Free Cash Recommended to balance FY 1989 budget	254,997.00
Projected Free Cash 6/30/88	<u><u>\$ 376,467.00</u></u>

TOWN OF HATFIELD
General Fund
Balance Sheet - June 30, 1987

Assets

Cash and Investments			\$1,756,961.78
Accounts Receivable:			
Real Estate Taxes:			
Levy 1987	\$46,460.46		
Levy 1986	23,047.04		
Levy 1985	3,042.26		
Levy 1984	797.14		
Levy 1983	<u>28.22</u>	\$73,375.12	
Personal Property Taxes:			
Levy 1987	\$ 3,577.00		
Levy 1986	4,662.05		
Levy 1985	2,061.08		
Levy 1984	2,032.97		
Levy 1983	636.52		
Levy 1982	519.03		
Levy 1981	248.95		
Levy 1980	180.00		
Levy 1979	135.00		
Levy 1978	205.00		
Levy 1977	217.50		
Levy 1976	<u>200.00</u>	14,675.10	
Less: Allowance for Uncollectible Accounts		<u>(46,403.39)</u>	41,646.83
Tax Liens			18,825.56
Motor Vehicle Excise:			
Levy 1987	\$ 4,944.98		
Levy 1986	4,391.15		
Levy 1985	975.30		
Levy 1984	734.01		
Levy 1983	505.34		
Levy 1982	501.03		
Levy 1981	472.80		
Levy 1980	919.43		
Levy 1979	1,011.95		
Levy 1978	589.95		
Levy 1977	478.31		
Levy 1976	494.45		
Levy 1975	<u>113.03</u>		16,131.73
Farm Animal and Machinery Excise:			
Levy 1985	\$ 125.00		
Levy 1984	<u>150.00</u>		275.00
Due from Other Governments:			
State Highway Grants Receivable			116,858.97
Total Assets			<u>\$1,950,699.87</u>

Liabilities and Fund Balance

Due to Other Funds		\$ 685,436.80
Due to Other Governments		9,921.38
Warrants Payable		106,050.36
Bid and Security Deposits		652.00
Unclaimed Check Account		298.01
Deferred Revenue:		
Property Taxes	\$ 41,646.83	
Property Tax Liens	18,825.56	
Motor Vehicle Excise	16,131.73	
Farm Animal and Machinery Excise	275.00	
State Aid to Highways	<u>116,404.27</u>	193,283.39
Fund Balance:		
Reserve for Encumbrances	\$207,552.80	
Reserve for Abatements and Exemption Surplus	30,127.75	
Unreserved:		
Designated for Subsequent Years' Expense	70,000.00	
Undesignated	<u>647,377.38</u>	955,057.93
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance		<u>\$1,950,699.87</u>

Special Revenue Funds Balance Sheet - June 30, 1987 Assets

Due from Other Funds		\$ 655,430.72
Ambulance Fees Receivable	\$ 2,312.90	
Water Rates and Liens Receivable	3,263.55	
Sewer Fees Receivable	<u>(137.78)</u>	5,438.67
Total Assets		<u>\$ 660,869.39</u>

Liabilities and Fund Balances

Warrants Payable		\$ 105,574.02
Deferred Revenue:		
Ambulance Fees Revenue	\$ 2,312.90	
Water Rates Revenue	3,263.55	
Sewer Revenues	<u>(137.78)</u>	5,438.67
Fund Balances:		
School Lunch Revolving Fund	\$ (8,555.32)	
Collection's Fees, Liens Account	803.00	
Circuit Rider Program Fund	(749.51)	
Special Town Hall Damages - Roof Leak Insurance Claim	1,238.75	
Replace School Bus Canopies - Insurance Claim	1,460.00	
Computer Feasibility Study Grant - EOCD	796.24	
Conservation Commission Special Revolving	25.00	
Police Revolving Fund	(192.67)	
Ambulance Gift Fund	723.05	
Transfer Station - Insurance Claim Tree Replacement	4,200.00	
Right to Know Grant	466.00	
DPW Study Grant - EOCD	1,300.00	
Road Machinery Earnings Fund	5,949.16	
Chapter 623 Highway Grant	5,799.83	
Chapter 811 Highway Grant	38,526.00	
Chapter 90 N.C. Grant	<u>(3,264.00)</u>	

Special Revenue Funds - Liabilities and Fund Balances Continued

Schools - EEOG	4,931.29	
Schools - P.L. 874 Grant	217.58	
Schools - Chapter I Fiscal Year 1986	429.35	
Schools - Chapter I Fiscal Year 1987	(677.60)	
Schools - School Improvement Council Fiscal Year 1986	182.61	
Schools - School Improvement Council Fiscal Year 1987	3,642.04	
Schools - Professional Development Grant	400.43	
Schools - Early Childhood Fiscal Year 1986	759.20	
Schools - Early Childhood Fiscal Year 1987	(527.30)	
Schools - P.L. 94-142 Fiscal Year 1986	(222.00)	
Schools - P.L. 94-142 Fiscal Year 1987	(2,006.50)	
Schools - Elementary School Vandalism Account	1,200.00	
Schools - Gifted and Talented	364.00	
Schools - Non-Resident Tuition Revolving	2,314.00	
Schools - Dollars for Doers	233.68	
Schools - Elementary School Roof Repair Project	1,693.40	
Schools - Smith Academy Foundation	894.30	
Schools - Class Gift Fund	4,240.17	
Schools - Ryan Foreign Affairs Matching	1,108.89	
Schools - Library Gift Fund	13.25	
Schools - Driver Education Revolving	1,515.81	
Schools - Flavin Gift Fund	3.57	
Schools - Preschool Program	7,738.03	
Schools - Athletic Gift Fund	138.00	
Athletic Revolving Fund	257.36	
Community Education Program	1,309.75	
State-Aid to Free Libraries Account	1,522.50	
Library Equalization Grant	9.71	
Recreation Gift Fund	958.24	
Special Elder Affairs Office Supplies and Equipment	250.00	
Special Elder Affairs Special Purpose Grant	509.00	
Special Elder Affairs Grant Office Equipment	114.66	
COA - Grant for Bus Tours	375.00	
Special Elder Affairs Handicapped Bathroom Grant	1,500.00	
COA - Department of Elder Affairs Radio Installation Grant	54.00	
Special Gift Fund Elderly Donations	12.08	
Special Gift Fund - Minnie Harris Grant	742.75	
Arts Lottery Program Account	967.32	
Dog Fund from County	185.02	
Special Wellhead Water Project	2,072.03	
Brockway Smith CDAG Grant Water Project	31,531.00	
Ambulance Fees Surplus	17,268.21	
Water Available Surplus	253,730.56	
Sewer Available Surplus	159,375.78	
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances		<div style="border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black; padding: 2px 0;"> <div style="text-align: right;">549,856.70</div> <div style="text-align: right;">\$ 660,869.39</div> </div>

Revenue Sharing Funds
Balance Sheet - June 30, 1987
Assets

Revenue Sharing Cash	\$ 15,089.90
Total Assets	<u>\$ 15,089.90</u>

Liabilities and Fund Balance

Warrants Payable	\$ 7,941.31
Fund Balance - Undesignated	7,148.59
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	<u>\$ 15,089.90</u>

Agency Funds
Balance Sheet - June 30, 1987
Assets

Due from Other Funds:	
General Fund	\$ 30,006.08
Trust and Investment Funds	550.00
Total Assets	<u>\$ 30,556.08</u>

Liabilities

Warrants Payable	\$ 30,209.57
Group Life Insurance - Employees Share Payable	260.64
Hasmah Smith Perpetual Care Payable	85.87
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 30,556.08</u>

Capital Project Fund
Sewage Treatment Facilities Construction Project
Balance Sheet - June 30, 1987

Assets

Cash			\$ 722,230.11
Receivables:			
Federal EPA Grants Authorized	\$5,775,000.00		
Received through June 30, 1987	<u>4,849,964.00</u>	\$925,036.00	
State DEQE Grants Authorized	\$1,155,000.00		
Received through June 30, 1987	<u>964,982.00</u>	<u>190,018.00</u>	1,115,054.00
Total Assets			<u>\$1,837,284.11</u>

Liabilities and Fund Balance

Temporary Loans Payable	\$1,950,000.00
Fund Balance (Deficit)	(112,715.89)
Total Liabilities	<u>\$1,837,284.11</u>

Trust and Investment Funds
Balance Sheet - June 30, 1987

Assets

Trust and Investment Funds - Cash	\$ 568,589.57
Total Assets	<u>\$ 568,589.57</u>

Liabilities and Fund Balances

Due to Other Funds:	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds to Agency Fund	\$ 150.00
Unemployment Compensation Fund to Agency Fund	400.00
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 550.00</u>

Fund Balance:	
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds	\$ 35,262.36
Fireman's Relief Fund	333.20
Special School Trust and Graduation Awards Fund	32,827.01
Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund	25,772.97
Stabilization Fund:	
Designated Appropriations Fiscal Year 1988	34,400.00
Undesignated	439,444.03
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	<u>\$ 568,589.57</u>

Net Funded or Fixed Long-Term Debt

Net Fund or Fixed Long-Term Debt	<u>\$1,968,750.00</u>
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General Fund:	
School Construction Loan, Jr./Sr. High School	\$1,880,000.00
Special Revenue:	
Install Ground Water Supply System	88,750.00
	<u>\$1,968,750.00</u>

APPROPRIATION TABLE
July 1, 1986 to June 30, 1987

Key - T=Transfer
F=Balance Forward
R=Reverted to Surplus

Account	Appropriation	Balance Carried Forward and Additional	Total Available	Total Spent or Transferred	Balance Forward or Transferred
	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Moderator	80.00	--	80.00	80.00	--
Selectmen's Salaries	7,000.00	--	7,000.00	7,000.00	--
Selectmen's Expense	4,000.00	--	4,000.00	3,718.40	281.60(R)
Circuit Rider Program-Wages	3,040.00	--	3,040.00	3,040.00	--
Circuit Rider Program-Expense	500.00	--	500.00	500.00	--
Accountant's Salary	9,150.00	--	9,150.00	9,150.00	--
Accountant's Expense	835.00	--	835.00	835.00	--
Auditor of Town Records	4,500.00	--	4,500.00	4,500.00	--
Treasurer's Salary	13,100.00	--	13,100.00	13,100.00	--
Treasurer's Expense	3,800.00	--	4,107.04	4,107.04	--
Collector's Salary	14,100.00	--	14,100.00	14,100.00	--
Collector's Expense	3,300.00	--	3,463.80	3,452.11	11.69(R)
Assessors' Salaries	5,900.00	--	5,900.00	5,900.00	--
Assessors' Expense	4,295.00	--	4,295.00	4,289.56	5.44(R)
Assessors' Assistant Salary	17,400.00	--	17,400.00	17,400.00	--
Town Clerk's Salary	7,300.00	--	7,300.00	7,300.00	--
Town Clerk's Expense	970.00	--	1,215.27	1,215.27	--
Municipal Clerks' Wages	26,000.00	--	26,000.00	25,031.14	968.86(R)
Town Counsel	6,000.00	--	6,025.00	6,025.00	--
Legal/Professional Expense	3,000.00	--	3,000.00	1,998.00	1,002.00(R)
Town Officials' Court Account	2,000.00	--	2,000.00	100.00	1,900.00(R)
Update Town Lawbooks	1,000.00	--	1,000.00	499.30	500.70(R)
Election & Registration Wages	4,500.00	--	4,500.00	4,199.13	300.87(R)
Election & Registration Expense	1,150.00	--	1,150.00	38.43	1,111.57(R)
Elector Under Oliver Smith Will	15.00	--	15.00	15.00	--
Finance Committee Expense	90.00	--	90.00	75.00	15.00(R)
Zoning Appeals Board Expense	335.00	--	335.00	208.78	126.22(R)
Conservation Commission Expense	600.00	--	600.00	106.76	493.24(R)
Planning Board Expense	1,300.00	--	1,318.50	1,317.75	.75(R)
Develop Comprehensive Land Use & Master Plan	--	2,860.00(F)	2,860.00	1,000.00	1,860.00(F)
Historical Commission Expense	1,100.00	--	1,100.00	1,074.39	25.61(R)
Industrial/Economic Feasibility Study	--	3,000.00(T)	3,000.00	--	3,000.00(F)
Industrial Development Commission	230.00	202.90(T)	432.90	347.83	85.07(R)

Town Hall Wages	\$	6,416.00	--	\$	6,416.00	\$	6,320.52	\$	95.48(R)
Town Hall Expense		17,700.00			17,723.36		13,949.36		3,774.00(R)
Roof, Chimney & Major Repairs		--			3,020.00		--		3,020.00(F)
Town Hall									
Install New Heating System		--		17,000.00(F)	17,000.00		3,522.27		13,477.73(F)
Town Hall									
Install New Handicap Ramp-Town Hall		11,000.00		8,000.00(T)	19,000.00		--		19,000.00(F)
Paint & Repair Town Utility Bldgs.		--		15,000.00(F)	15,000.00		--		15,000.00(F)
Computerization of Town Financial		15,000.00		15,531.00(F)	30,531.00		28,552.12		1,978.88(F)
Departments									
Purchase Additional Computer Equip.		5,800.00	--	--	5,800.00		--		5,800.00(F)
Computer Software Support & Supply		7,000.00	--	--	7,000.00		5,833.23		1,166.77(R)
Expense									
Office Supplies & Equipment		2,875.00		441.64(T)	3,316.64		3,316.64		--
Print & Deliver Town Reports		3,940.00		1,372.07(T)	5,312.07		5,312.07		--
Police Dept. Salaries & Wages		33,000.00		--	33,000.00		31,768.93		1,231.07(R)
Police Dept. Expense		9,550.00	--	--	9,550.00		8,277.42		1,272.58(R)
Fire Dept. Salaries & Wages		8,295.00	--	--	8,295.00		6,187.44		2,107.56(R)
Fire Dept. Expense		13,908.00	--	--	13,908.00		13,823.22		84.78(R)
Purchase Used Chassis & Equipment		--		4,636.52(F)	4,636.52		3,500.00		1,136.52(F)
for Fire Dept. Tanker									
Mount, Install & Equip Tanker Truck		--		7,772.17(F)	7,772.17		1,500.00		6,272.17(F)
Ambulance Wages		5,300.00		646.34(T)	5,946.34		5,946.34		--
Ambulance Expense		6,100.00		37.15(T)	6,137.15		5,654.47		482.68(R)
Right to Know Wages		2,000.00	--	--	2,000.00		2,000.00		--
Right to Know Expense		1,550.00	--	--	1,550.00		25.00		1,525.00(R)
Tree Warden Wages		2,000.00	--	--	2,000.00		241.50		1,758.50(R)
Tree Dept. Expense		8,400.00	--	--	8,400.00		8,357.17		42.83(R)
Moth Work Expense		3,100.00	--	--	3,100.00		3,100.00		--
Civil Defense Wages		400.00		76.32(T)	476.32		476.32		--
Civil Defense Expense		3,350.00	--	--	3,350.00		3,202.87		147.13(R)
Dog Officer Wages		780.00	--	--	780.00		425.00		355.00(R)
Dog Officer Expense		700.00	--	--	700.00		21.00		679.00(R)
Field Driver & Fence Viewer		175.00	--	--	175.00		--		175.00(R)
Building Inspection Wages		10,500.00	--	--	10,500.00		10,500.00		--
Building Inspection Expense		1,300.00		66.39(T)	1,366.39		1,366.39		--
Inspector of Animals & Slaughter		200.00	--	--	200.00		200.00		--
Visiting Nurse		6,748.00	--	--	6,748.00		6,748.00		--
Sewer Commissioners' Salaries		2,050.00	--	--	2,050.00		2,050.00		--
Sewer Dept. Wages		46,560.00	--	--	46,560.00		28,079.75		18,480.25(R)
Sewer Department Expense		57,900.00	--	--	57,900.00		15,761.86		42,138.14(R)
Design & Cost Analysis of Sewerage		--		29,455.62(F)			--		29,455.62(F)
System for School St. Extension									

Prepare Preliminary Design & Cost Estimates of Sewering Certain Industrial Areas	\$	--	\$	11,077.62(F)	\$	11,077.62	\$	--	\$	11,077.62(F)
Board of Health Salaries		1,650.00		--		1,650.00		1,630.21		19.79(T)
Board of Health Expense		2,150.00		109.40(T)		2,259.40		2,259.40		--
Board of Health Perc Tests		3,500.00		--		3,500.00		--		3,500.00(F)
Develop Facility Plan for Townwide Sewage Disposal		--		2,000.00(F)		2,000.00		--		2,000.00(F)
Raw Sewage Disposal Study, Problem Identification & Proposed Solutions		--		10,292.70(F)		10,292.70		10,287.00		5.70(R)
Mosquito Control		2,500.00		--		2,500.00		--		2,500.00(R)
Regional Refuse Planning Commission		50.00		--		50.00		--		50.00(R)
Solid Waste & Dump Maintenance Wages		11,068.00		--		11,068.00		6,562.38		4,505.62(R)
Solid Waste & Dump Maintenance Expense		65,000.00		--		65,000.00		65,000.00		--
Build Wall & Slab at Transfer Station		--		8,371.00(F)		8,371.00		--		8,371.00(F)
Purchase Bulldozer for Landfill		--		5,000.00(F)		5,000.00		5,000.00		--
Highway General-Wages		103,661.00		(500.00)(T)		103,161.00		100,035.50		3,125.50(R)
Highway General-Overtime Wages		6,000.00		500.00(T)		6,500.00		6,419.40		80.60(R)
Highway General-Operating Expense		142,745.00		516.82(T)		143,261.82		142,674.45		587.37(R)
Streetlights		18,000.00		--		18,000.00		15,345.16		2,654.84(R)
Highway-Lease-Purchase Backhoe		9,000.00		--		9,000.00		8,964.00		36.00(R)
Highway-Purchase New 4-wheel Drive Truck		16,200.00		--		16,200.00		16,194.94		5.06(R)
Highway-Chapter 90-Town Share 1984-1985		--		8,000.00(F)		8,000.00		--		8,000.00(F)
Highway-Chapter 90-Town Share 1985-1986		--		8,000.00(F)		8,000.00		--		8,000.00(F)
Purchase Used Grader for Highway		--		6,390.72(F)		6,390.72		5,707.59		683.13(F)
Install Waste Oil Burning System-Town Garage		--		1,041.82(F)		1,041.82		1,041.82		--
Rebuild and/or Repave Sidewalks		--		1,000.00(F)		1,000.00		--		1,000.00(F)
Resurface Town Highways-Fiscal 1986		--		3,658.27(F)		3,658.27		--		3,658.27(F)
Design, Prepare Cost Estimates for Grant for Repairing Bridge St. Bridge		--		225.00(F)		225.00		--		225.00(F)
Update Town Boundaries		2,500.00		--		2,500.00		--		2,500.00(F)
Veterans' Service Salaries		450.00		--		450.00		450.00		--
Veterans' Service Expense		2,300.00		--		2,300.00		691.55		1,608.45(R)
Veterans' Pensions (Chap. 32 S.58)		835.00		--		835.00		823.89		11.11(R)
Memorial Day		1,105.00		--		1,105.00		1,105.00		--
Schools		1,211,337.00		69,271.60(T)		1,280,608.60		1,280,608.60		--
Vocational Schools & Transportation		84,720.00		--		84,720.00		82,836.30		1,883.70(R)
Dust Collection System		--		686.54(F)		686.54		--		686.54(F)
Special Funds for Construction of Athletic Fields		--		4,343.93(F)		4,343.93		--		4,343.93(F)

Purchase Computers-Elementary School	\$	10,000.00	\$	--	\$	10,000.00	\$	9,816.14	\$	183.86(F)
Purchase New Mini-Van for Schools		14,785.00		--		14,785.00		14,785.00		--
Library Wages		10,290.00		--		10,290.00		10,167.40		122.60(R)
Library Expense		8,628.00		1,656.00		10,284.00		10,258.57		25.43(R)
Repairs to Library Roof & Gutters		11,000.00		--		11,000.00		10,900.00		100.00(R)
Council on Aging Wages		3,250.00		--		3,250.00		2,679.54		570.46(R)
Council on Aging Expense		800.00		85.59(T)		885.59		557.92		327.67(R)
Transportation of Elderly Wages		3,700.00		--		3,700.00		3,633.94		66.06(R)
Transportation of Elderly Expense		1,900.00		--		1,900.00		851.56		1,048.44(R)
Paint & Repair Elderly Van		650.00		--		650.00		650.00		--
Recreation Wages		1,200.00		--		1,200.00		1,146.25		53.75(R)
Recreation Expense		2,790.00		--		2,790.00		1,840.09		949.91(R)
Arts Lottery Council Expense		250.00		--		250.00		--		250.00(R)
Bind Town Reports		400.00		--		400.00		--		400.00(R)
Insurance		80,000.00		37,244.96(T)		117,244.96		117,244.96		--
Comprehensive Insurance Study		4,250.00		--		4,250.00		4,250.00		--
Chap. 32B Insurance Employer Matching		43,000.00		3,300.00(T)		46,300.00		46,129.38		170.62(R)
Health & Insurance Coverage										
Town Clock Maintenance		250.00		--		250.00		--		250.00(R)
Unpaid Bills		539.61		--		539.61		539.61		--
Unclassified		100.00		27.06(T)		127.06		127.06		--
Tax Title Account		--		1,405.00(F)		1,405.00		--		1,405.00(F)
Water Commissioners' Salaries		1,800.00		--		1,800.00		1,800.00		--
Water Dept. Wages		29,000.00		--		29,000.00		25,041.78		3,958.22(R)
Water Dept. Expense		24,300.00		22.58(T)		24,322.58		17,020.62		7,301.96(R)
Reseal Road-Main St. Cemetery with Gravel & Oil		--		2,000.00(F)		2,000.00		--		2,000.00(F)
Install Gravel Road-Main St. Cemetery		--		857.15(F)		857.15		--		857.15(F)
Cemetery Expense		3,800.00		680.00(T)		4,480.00		4,480.00		--
Interest Probable		50,000.00		60,000.00(T)		110,000.00		99,934.71		10,065.29
School Loan Jr.-Sr. High School		160,000.00		--		160,000.00		160,000.00		--
Interest on School Loan		126,480.00		--		126,480.00		126,480.00		--
Wellhead Loan Principal		9,000.00		--		9,000.00		9,000.00		--
Wellhead & Pumping Station Loan		15,625.00		--		15,625.00		15,625.00		--
Interest on Water Loans		6,557.00		--		6,557.00		6,556.90		.10(R)
Departmental Loans		20,000.00		--		20,000.00		8,750.00		11,250.00(R)
Interest on Departmental Loans		7,000.00		--		7,000.00		2,061.44		4,938.56(R)
Reserve Fund from Overlay Surplus		25,000.00		--		25,000.00		4,217.93(T)		20,782.07(R)

Respectfully submitted,
John T. Wilkes
Town Accountant

TREASURER

In Account with the Town of Hatfield
July 1, 1986 to June 30, 1987

Cash Book Balance	
July 1, 1986	1,392,027.55

Receipts

July 1986	1,817,816.49
August 1986	131,861.03
September 1986	1,174,980.25
October 1986	2,931,806.91
November 1986	353,917.98
December 1986	2,210,828.65
January 1987	433,123.59
February 1987	254,160.02
March 1987	3,183,696.25
April 1987	679,734.15
May 1987	765,731.76
June 1987	<u>881,510.58</u>

TOTAL RECEIPTS	14,819,167.66
	<u>16,211,195.21</u>

Disbursements

July 1986	968,072.33
August 1986	1,679,621.42
September 1986	797,029.20
October 1986	2,229,047.00
November 1986	361,819.50
December 1986	2,627,084.77
January 1987	359,008.11
February 1987	552,414.88
March 1987	2,408,008.14
April 1987	377,366.60
May 1987	353,636.98
June 1987	<u>1,563,477.99</u>

TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS	14,276,586.92
Cash Book Balance June 30, 1987	1,934,608.29
	<u>16,211,195.21</u>

ANALYSIS OF CASH
June 30, 1987

General Cash			
Checking	984.75		
Savings	211,937.48		
Money Market Funds	661,957.40		
Pooled Investment-MMDT	295,522.56		
Certificates of Deposit	563,003.26		
Petty Cash	400.00		
Cash on Hand	10,089.32	1,743,894.77	
Revenue Sharing			
Checking	258.79		
Savings	7,203.43		
Pooled Investment-MMDT	7,627.68	15,089.90	
EPA Sewer Project			
Checking	2,184.26		
Money Market Funds	733,112.86	735,297.12	<u>2,494,281.79</u>
June 30, 1987			
Cash Book Balance	1,934,608.29		
Transfers in Transit	(6,480.00)		
Investment in Transit	(300,000.00)		
Investment Balance	<u>866,153.50</u>		
	2,494,281.79		

INTEREST INCOME
Fiscal Year 1987

General Cash			
Checking	7,326.13		
Savings	8,554.36		
Investments	10,065.11		
Money Market Accounts	41,533.41		
MMDT	17,333.16	84,812.17	
Revenue Sharing			
Checking	90.58		
Savings	230.19		
Investment	2,062.64	2,383.41	
EPA Sewer Project-Money Market			
	29,669.87	29,669.87	
EOER Solar-Money Market	214.88	214.88	
Cemetery Perpetual Care	2,106.13	2,106.13	119,186.46
Trust Funds			
Stabilization Fund	32,295.83		
Firemen's Relief Fund	15.03		
Unemployment Fund	1,535.09		
Graduation Award Fund	1,596.31	35,442.26	<u>35,442.26</u>
			<u>154,628.72</u>

TRUST FUNDS

Cemetery Perpetual Care

Balance June 30, 1987		35,412.36
Balance July 1, 1986	34,712.36	
New Accounts	700.00	
	<u>35,412.36</u>	<u>35,412.36</u>

In account with the Town of Hatfield	35,112.36	
In account with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts	300.00	
	<u>35,412.36</u>	

New Accounts	
Adam and Constance Bielunis	200.00
Bernard and Mary Barlow	200.00
Elizabeth Yurik	300.00

FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND

Balance June 30, 1987		333.20
Balance July 1, 1986	318.17	
Interest	15.03	
	<u>333.20</u>	<u>333.20</u>

GRADUATION AWARDS

Balance June 30, 1987		32,827.01
Balance July 1, 1986	21,936.62	
Interest	1,596.31	
Receipts	10,774.08	
Disbursements	(1,480.00)	
	<u>32,827.01</u>	<u>32,827.01</u>

Non-expendable Trust Balances

Adams, John and Christine	1,000.00
Boyle, Martha Pelissier	2,135.00
Class of 1976	300.00
Class of 1977	471.64
Class of 1986	550.00
Cutter, Carol	2,706.00
Demers, Brenda	865.44
Denn, Maureen	1,856.37
Hatfield Ancient Fyfe & Drum Corp	500.00
Kochan, Frank	455.00
Lesukoski, John	1,000.00
Lions Club	12,715.66
Mokrecki, Sophie	1,000.00
Novak, Suzanne	650.00
Osley, Brenda M.	1,889.88
Ryan, Robert	1,350.00
Zembiski, Patricia	650.00

Award	Balance 7-1-86	Deposits	Interest	Withdrawals 1987 Awards	Balance 6-30-87
Adams, John & Christine	1,122.91	---	70.30	75.00	1,118.21
Boyle, Martha Pelissier	2,189.15		137.11	145.00	2,181.26
Class of 1976	317.48	---	19.90	30.00	307.38
Class of 1977	550.38	---	34.43	50.00	534.81
Class of 1986	550.00	---	31.29	---	581.29
Cutter, Carol	2,825.46	---	176.99	150.00	2,852.45
Demers, Brenda	939.33	---	58.87	50.00	948.20
Denn, Maureen	1,984.46	---	124.31	100.00	2,008.77
Hatfield Ancient Fyfe & Drum Corp	521.90	---	32.70	25.00	529.60
Kochan, Frank	312.23	200.00	19.56	30.00	501.79
Lesukoski, John	1,129.75	---	70.78	100.00	1,100.53
Lions Club	2,419.71	10,574.08	377.04	*---	13,370.83
Mokrecki, Sophie	1,827.92	---	114.49	300.00	1,642.41
Novak, Suzanne	826.76	---	51.77	75.00	803.53
Osley, Brenda M.	1,947.26	---	121.95	100.00	1,969.21
Ryan, Robert	1,563.38		97.94	150.00	1,511.32
Zembiski, Patricia	908.54		56.88	100.00	865.42
	<u>21,936.62</u>	<u>10,774.08</u>	<u>1,596.31</u>	<u>1,480.00</u>	<u>32,827.01</u>

*1987 Award of 500.00 to be distributed Fall 1987.

STABILIZATION FUND

Balance June 30, 1987		473,844.03
Balance July 1, 1986	518,333.20	
Interest	32,295.83	
Disbursements	(76,785.00)	
	<u>473,844.03</u>	<u>473,844.03</u>

Disbursements

Annual Town Meeting April 15, 1986		
Article 14. 4-wheel-drive pickup		16,200.00
Article 15. Handicap Ramp-Town Hall		11,000.00
Article 28. Library Gutter System		11,000.00
Article 30. Computers-Elementary School		10,000.00

Special Town Meeting-November 18, 1986		
Article 5. Computerization-Town Depts.		5,800.00
Article 12. School Van		14,785.00
Article 14. Handicap Ramp-Town Hall		8,000.00

UNEMPLOYMENT FUND

Balance June 30, 1987		26,172.97
Balance July 1, 1986	24,637.88	
Interest	1,535.09	
	<u>26,172.97</u>	<u>26,172.97</u>

Respectfully submitted,
G. Louise Slys
Treasurer

TOWN COLLECTOR
Year Ending June 30, 1987

	Year	Balance June 30, 1986	Committed	Collected	Abated	Refund	Tax Title	Outstanding Balance June 30, 1987
Real Estate	1981	81.60			117.60			0.00
	1982	258.22		225.15			71.10	0.00
	1983	4,964.19		4,249.69	658.34	15.05	330.35	0.00
	1984	18,020.06		16,265.89	39.20		1,199.36	515.61
	1985	29,946.26		24,185.13	1,442.24	490.78	1,883.17	2,926.50
	1986	67,179.60		41,560.98	723.37	30.42	2,545.45	22,380.22
	1987		1,463,302.12	1,378,377.46	37,369.25	2,832.68	2,488.08	47,900.01
			1,182.63	1,182.63				0.00
61A Rollback Taxes	1987							
Forest Land	1987		338.80	338.80				0.00
Forest Products	1987		618.40	618.40				0.00
Personal Property	1976	200.00						200.00
	1977	217.50						217.50
	1978	205.00						205.00
	1979	135.00						135.00
	1980	180.00						180.00
	1981	248.95						248.95
	1982	519.03						519.03
	1983	65.20		278.36	100.00			0.00
	1984	2,506.27		470.40				2,035.87
	1985	2,547.16		486.08				2,061.08
	1986	5,850.06		795.83	392.18			4,662.05
	1987		35,899.56	31,401.77	920.79			3,577.00
Farm	1984	150.00						150.00
	1985	125.00						125.00
	1986	125.00		125.00				0.00
	1987		1,745.00	1,745.00				0.00
Water	1986	114,062.53	10,320.00	118,196.00	4,438.00	620.00		2,368.53
Water Lien	1983	93.00						93.00
	1984	124.00						124.00

	Year	Balance June 30, 1986	Committed	Collected	Abated	Refund	Tax Title	Outstanding Balance June 30, 1987
Sewer	1987	2,120.00	60,670.00	58,222.00	4,271.00	283.00		580.00
Sewer Lien	1984	45.33					45.33	0.00
Ambulance		3,614.90	8,070.00	5,074.95	4,113.75	303.00		2,799.20
Parking Fines		340.00	480.00	405.00	295.00			120.00
Dog Fines		100.00			100.00			0.00
Cemetery	1987		22.50	22.50				0.00
Mobile Homes	1987		4,416.00	4,416.00				0.00
Motor Vehicle	1975	113.03						113.03
	1976	494.45						494.45
	1977	478.31						478.31
	1978	589.95						589.95
	1979	1,049.35		37.40				1,011.95
	1980	1,248.58		331.65				916.93
	1981	570.05		98.75				471.30
	1982	568.87		61.25				507.62
	1983	1,113.42		549.50	8.46			555.46
	1984	997.52		503.75	6.35			487.42
	1985	1,711.23	1,887.49	2,332.39	290.67	221.31		1,196.97
	1986	18,933.59	36,437.19	49,578.77	2,251.63	790.77		4,331.15
	1987		89,904.98	81,790.40	3,957.98	850.88		5,007.48

Respectfully submitted,
Joanne M. Porada
Town Collector

BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Value of Land and Buildings	126,402,640.00
Value of Personal Property	<u>2,658,430.00</u>
Total of Real and Personal Property	129,061,070.00

Acres of Land	9,300
Number of Living Units	1,158
Overlay for Abatements	60,144.84
Pollution Control	83,710.00
Cherry Sheet Estimated Charges	76,683.00

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Motor Vehicle Excise	150,000.00
Other Excise	4,000.00
Penalties and Interest on Taxes and Excises	25,000.00
Fees	43,000.00
Rentals	1,000.00
Special Assessments	60,000.00
Fines and Forfeits	57,000.00
Investment Income	<u>85,812.21</u>
Total	425,812.21

Cherry Sheet Estimated Receipts	957,223.00
Free Cash	251,168.61
Other Available Funds	<u>334,759.00</u>
Total	1,543,150.61

EXEMPT PROPERTY

Church Property	1,314,000.00
Schools	5,055,400.00
American Legion	169,900.00
D.P.W. Building	2,056,000.00
Home for the Elderly	762,600.00
All Other Town Property	<u>2,121,500.00</u>
Total	11,479,400.00

The fiscal 1988 tax rate was set and approved in October 1987. Tax bills were sent out in early November. An in-house update of values was completed for fiscal 1988. In fiscal 1989, all values must be certified by the Department of Revenue before the tax rate is approved. We are now working on that project. The office is open five days a week from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. with extra evening hours as posted on the bulletin board in the Town Hall.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard D. Belden Sr., Chairman
Lewis G. Wendolowski Sr.
Edward D. Molloy

TOWN CLERK

VITAL STATISTICS

1987	Births	Deaths	Marriages
Male	21	12	
Female	<u>11</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>16</u>
	32	30	

Preceding Five Years

1986	36	31	8
1985	26	34	19
1984	29	30	16
1983	33	25	24
1982	35	37	23

DOG LICENSES

1987 Sales		Preceding Five Years	
Males	81	1986	187
Females	12	1985	207
Spayed Females	92	1984	222
4 Dog Kennel	1	1983	253
10 Dog Kennel	<u>1</u>	1982	268
	187		

FISH AND GAME LICENSES

1987 Sales

Fishing	61	Sporting	81
Minor Fishing	12	Half-price Sporting	11
Half-price Fishing	12	Sporting-Free	44
Non-resident Fishing	2	Trapping	4
Hunting	20	Archery Stamps	36
Half-price Hunting	1	Waterfowl Stamps	11
Resident Alien Hunting	1	Duplicates	2

Total Sales - 298

Preceding Five Years: 1986--342; 1985--366; 1984--359; 1983--380; 1982--387

VARIOUS LICENSES

Gasoline Storage Permits	87
Raffle Permits	6
Sale of Town Directories	42
Sale of Street Lists	40

ELECTIONS

Annual Town Election - May 5, 1987

Total Registered Voters - 1,966

Total Votes Cast - 262

EXCERPTS FROM TOWN MEETING RECORDS

A complete record of all Town Meeting articles and votes is available for public inspection in the office of the Town Clerk.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - JANUARY 29, 1987

Article 3: Voted up to \$3,000.00 in matching funds for a Feasibility Study funded through the Executive Office of Community Affairs for activities related to industrial or economic development.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - APRIL 28, 1987

Articles 1 and 2: Voted to authorize the Selectmen to convey the Lions Pavillion to the Lions Club of Hatfield.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING - APRIL 28, 1987

Article 4: Voted to authorize the Treasurer to enter into compensating balance agreements for 1988 pursuant to Chapter 44, Section 53F.

Article 10: Voted \$60,000.00 from Water Available Surplus for the construction of a pumping station and chlorination facility at the Running Gutter Brook Reservoir.

Article 16: Voted \$13,500.00 from the Stabilization Fund for a new police cruiser.

Article 19: Voted \$1,095.00 from ambulance fees to purchase three pagers with chargers and batteries for the Emergency Medical Technicians.

Article 23: Voted \$20,900.00 from the Stabilization Fund for a one-ton dump truck with plow for the Highway Department.

Articles 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 37 and 38:

Voted to amend the zoning by-laws by deleting numerous sections and inserting new sections. Substantial and extensive revisions are included in these articles.

Voted to rezone the following parcels:

Article 39: M. Holich, Map 1, Parcel 69 to Industrial

Article 40: C. Eberlein, Map 1, Parcel 68 to Industrial

Article 41: R. Bartlett, Map 6, Parcel 31 (a portion only) to Industrial

Article 42: A. Axler, Map 6, Parcel 27 to Industrial

Article 43: A. Axler, Map 7, Parcel 1 to Business

Article 44: J. and G. Burda, Map 8, Parcel 38 to Industrial

Article 46: J. Wendlowski, Map 8, Parcel 70 to Agricultural-Residential

Article 50: W. Burke III, Map 8, Parcels 42, 43 and 44 to Agricultural-Residential

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING - SEPTEMBER 30, 1987

- Article 2: Voted to rezone - D. Englehardt, Map 6, Parcel 21 to Industrial
- Article 3: Voted \$7,340.00 from Revenue Sharing for renovations and improvements to the Memorial Town Hall.
- Article 4: Voted to amend Town By-Laws by adding a new section regarding Tag Sale licensing.
- Article 6: Voted to create the Regional Refuse Disposal Planning Committee, appointed by the moderator, pursuant to Chapter 40, Section 44A, G.L.
- Article 8: Voted \$523,470.00 for the Elm Street Sewer Project.
- Article 9: Voted to amend the Zoning By-Laws by adding a new section regarding SITE PLAN REVIEW.
- Article 11: Voted \$469,000.00 for a sewer project on Bridge and School Streets.

Respectfully submitted,
G. Louise Slys
Town Clerk

BOARD OF REGISTRARS

ANNUAL CENSUS The annual census was conducted in January, 1987 as required by State Law. The total population was 3,278. The various lists of residents were prepared on the Town's computer. The Street List, which lists all residents 17 years old and up was available to the public at the cost of \$2.00.

VOTER REGISTRATION Registration sessions were held prior to the two Special Town Meetings and the annual Town Election. Voting lists were prepared and posted as required.

REGISTERED VOTERS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1987

Total -- 1,982
Democrats: 1,004
Republicans: 113
Unenrolled: 865

TOWN MEETINGS The Board of Registrars provided checkers at each Town Meeting to verify voter status of all entering the Town Meetings. Non-voters are welcome to view all meetings from the balcony.

During the year Americo Zernerer resigned his position on the Board and has been replaced by Joseph V. Porada, Jr. The Board extends its appreciation to "Zip" Zernerer for his service and to all census takers and election workers for their valued service throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mildred Z. Osley, Chairman
Helen H. Bardwell
Joseph V. Porada, Jr.
G. Louise Slys, Clerk

TOWN EMPLOYEES' NAMES, WAGES, POSITIONS

The following is a listing of the employees paid through the Town of Hatfield during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1987. Some wages were funded under grants and other Federal and State governmental assistance.

Abarno, Frank E.	30,534.30	Teacher, Vice Principal, Coach
Abrahamson, Barbara A.	5,411.25	Elementary Secretary
Adamski, Jan	333.90	Fire Department
Albino, Susan	25,487.06	Speech Therapist
Archambault, Barbara L.	337.08	EMT
Balise, George W.	260.76	Fire Department
Barbuto, Rocco	1,384.00	Athletic Coach
Bardwell, Helen H.	407.04	Board of Registrars
Belden, Jean	2,160.63	Town Hall Secretary
Belden, Richard D.	2,490.80	Assessor, Fire Department
Belden, William A.	397.09	Fire Department, EMT
Benson, Carol	394.32	EMT, Election Officer
Bergeron, Michelle	22,513.82	Teacher
Bernard, Peter J.	33.00	Substitute Teacher
Betsold, Henry P.	15.00	Elector, Will of Oliver Smith
Bielunis, Adam E.	31.80	Fire Department
Bielunis, Paul	257.58	Fire Department
Bouchard, Tracy A.	1,260.24	Police Department
Boyer, Joan B.	596.62	Library Assistant, Election Officer
Brodeur, Kathleen	2,070.00	Cafeteria Worker
Buckhout, Wayne K.	24,112.34	Teacher
Cadran, Michael	23,973.51	Teacher
Cameron, Alan	450.00	Board of Health
Celatka, Frances F.	82.88	Election Officer
Celatka, Theodore	1,288.48	Ambulance Service Asst. Mgr., EMT, Fire Department
Cernak, Rita	25.50	Election Officer
Charpentier, Alice	44.38	Cafeteria Worker
Cialek, Donna	152.64	EMT
Clark, Kathleen K.	23,717.57	Teacher
Cohen, Alan	21,583.91	Teacher, Key Club Advisor, Class Advisor
Cook, Jennifer	206.00	Recreation Program
Cooper, Jeannie	1,228.00	Athletic Coach
Courtemanche, Denise	487.50	Community Education Program
Czerniak, Karen A.	25,927.57	Teacher
Damato, Diana M.	66.00	Substitute Teacher
Denisiewicz, Maxine	17,058.59	Teacher
Devine, Judith	25.50	Election Officer
Devlin, James A.	26,963.04	Teacher, Class Advisor, Nature's Classroom, Faculty Manager
Dombkowski, Nancilea	152.67	Election Officer, EMT
Donnelly, Gail K.	16.50	Substitute Teacher
Driscoll, Linda	31,600.00	Special Education Director, Principal
Ducharme, Robert	66.78	Fire Department
Dzialo, Frederick J.	600.00	Sewer Commissioner
Englehardt, Robert W.	387.96	Police Department
Erikson, Stephen C.	26,433.57	Teacher, Class Advisor, Coach
Faszczka, Jennifer	33.00	Substitute Teacher
Filipek, Ann B.	123.25	Election Officer
Fitch, Bernard	301.00	Tree Warden
Flagg, Sharon	849.00	Athletic Coach
Flint, Sean N.	132.00	Substitute Teacher

Foley, Ann M.	17.75	Cafeteria Worker
Frieswyk, Margaret	15,480.00	Preschool Program
Gagnon, James	332.31	EMT
Gagnon, Lynn	1,506.00	Cafeteria Worker
Gaudette, Bonnie	304.00	Recreation Program
Gaudette, Lois	34.00	Election Officer
Gaudette, Roland	2,034.00	Coach
Geryk, Diane M.	63.50	Election Officer
Geryk, Walter	1,500.00	Plumbing Inspector
Giroux, Patricia	2,509.13	Cafeteria Worker
Glenowicz, Josephine B.	133.88	Election Officer
Godek, Frank J.	6,344.56	Town Hall Janitor
Godek, Kathleen A.	36.13	Election Officer
Godek, Lucille	11,358.67	School Nurse
Goodhind, Lisa	29.75	Recreation Program
Gugeon, Francis L.	31,423.36	Superintendent of Schools, Principal
Growhoski, Paul C.	190.80	Fire Department
Hanks, Christine V.	4,768.83	Cafeteria Worker
Hart, Thomas	504.58	Board of Health
Hassett, Timothy	825.00	Substitute Teacher
Hebert, Francis H.	1,792.00	Sewer Commissioner
Higgins, Geraldine	1,938.75	Library Assistant, School
Hoffman, Heather	29.75	Recreation Program
Hoffman, Mary E.	5,534.52	School Lunch, Head Cook
Holhut, Louise E.	4,800.26	Cafeteria Worker
Hopkins, Giles S.	19,523.04	Teacher, Newspaper Advisor
Howard, Deborah	120.84	EMT
Hurley, David M.	10,486.00	Police Chief, Private Duty
Hurley, Susan A.	416.50	Police Department Clerk
Hurley, William	2,290.44	Police Department
Ingram, Sarah A.	23,597.55	Teacher, Class Advisor
Jagodzinski, Paul S.	1,673.01	Police Department
Jasinski, Doris E.	346.50	Substitute Teacher
Jepson, Dorcus	18,129.56	Teacher
Keir, David R.	20,682.63	Teacher, Coach, Class Advisor
Kellogg, Ruth	23,207.04	Teacher, As Schools Match Wits Adv
Kempisty, Brenda	12,900.02	School Secretary
Kempisty, Edward S.	60.42	Fire Department
Kempisty, James	25.44	Fire Department
Kempisty, Sally A.	319.51	Cafeteria Worker Substitute
Kisloski, Linda A.	148.50	Substitute Teacher
Klaes, Patricia D.	23,437.04	Teacher
Klein, Barbara	37.50	Night Clerk
Klepacki, James G.	9,954.87	Highway Worker
Kolosewicz, Anthony S.	66.50	Tree Warden
Korza, Diane M.	26,712.29	Teacher
Kotch, Peter	1,384.00	Coach
Kovalski, Charles E.	133.56	Fire Department
Kozlowski, Angeline	12.43	Cafeteria Worker
Kubicz, David	33.00	Substitute Teacher
Kugler, Frances A.	155.13	Election Officer
Kukucka, Paul W.	15,900.00	Elementary School Janitor
Kuzontkoski, Phyllis	39.75	Cafeteria Worker
LaBarge, Katherine	6,065.36	Director, Council on Aging
LaBarge, Leslie	636.58	Board of Health
Lavallee, Ronald R.	587.18	Dog Officer, Fire Department
Leaman, Stephen	22,636.04	Teacher, Coach
Lesko, Edward W.	2,138.70	Selectman

Lizek, David M.	1,500.00	Electrical Inspector, Fire Department
Lizek, Harold B.	500.00	Gas Inspector
Lyman, John	20.00	Assistant Building Inspector
Maciorowski, Stanley	7,000.00	Building Inspector
Mahar, Sally	849.00	Coach
Maksimoski, Laura E.	78.63	Election Officer
Martin, Michael F.	132.00	Substitute Teacher
Martula, Maureen A.	19,121.87	Teacher
Matusiewicz, Patricia	5,047.63	Teacher's Aide
McCourt, Francis Kevin	1,905.00	Highway Worker, Part Time Work Release
McGannon, Helen	2,620.02	School Secretary
McGrath, Brian	1,232.00	Sewer Department
McGrath, James E.	150.84	Police Department
McGrath, Michael	139.50	Water Department
McGuirk, William	551.73	EMT
McLaughlin, Barbara	53.13	Election Officer
Moczulewski, Maxwell	1,221.00	Substitute Teacher
Moggio, Norman	600.00	Sewer Commissioner
Molloy, Edward D.	1,800.00	Assessor
Motyka, Frank L.	26,087.50	Sewage Treatment Plant Operator
Muccino, Phyllis R.	650.25	Election Officer, Census Worker
Mullins, Thomas P.	450.00	Veterans' Agent
Myers, Scott	89.04	Fire Department
Newman, Robert E.	33.00	Substitute Teacher
Noyes, Worth	273.48	Fire Department
O'Dea, Janet A.	12.75	Election Officer
Olson, Judith A.	36.13	Election Officer
Omasta, Gary	128.79	EMT
Orson, Virginia Y.	25.50	Election Officer
Osepowicz, Robert J.	1,533.56	Civil Defense Director, Fire Department
		Right to Know Assistant Coordinator
Osley, Thomas	76.32	Police Department
Osley, Mildred Z.	349.80	Board of Registrars
Ouimet, Anne	462.00	Substitute Teacher
Panzica, Joseph	330.00	Substitute Teacher
Paszek, Marguerite T.	5,442.25	Special Education Van Driver
Patlin, Leslie S.	18,606.06	Teacher
Patnode, Judith	17.03	Elementary School Secretary
Patnode, Marc	112.00	Recreation Program
Paye, Beverly J.	7,378.70	Town Hall Secretary
Pease, John T.	127.20	Fire Department
Pease, Marshall	23,436.50	Highway Superintendent, Fire Department
Pelis, Bernard T.	18,589.23	Water Department Superintendent
Pelis, Cessie	213.06	EMT
Pelis, Karen J.	965.00	Cheerleading Coach
Pelis, Robert	1,228.00	Coach
Pelis, Walter E.	139.50	Water Department
Petcen, Barbara	12,992.96	Food Service Manager, School Lunch
		School Secretary
Petcen, Amy	29.75	Recreation Program
Petcen, Marcella	235.88	Election Officer
Phaneuf, Janet	25.50	Election Officer
Plogger, Jill	99.00	Substitute Teacher
Podmayer, William	3,818.85	Asst. Landfill Operator, Substitute Town
		Hall Janitor, Council on Aging Driver
Polhemus, Nancy H.	15,027.80	Town Hall Secretary
Pollard, Peter	195.57	EMT
Pomeroy, Scott	152.64	EMT, Fire Department

Porada, Joanne	14,100.00	Town Collector - Demands & Lien Fees: Fy 1987 - 5,182.00 Fees paid from prior year - 1,916.00
Potyrala, Edward	17,859.25	Head School Janitor
Proulx, Alfred	6.36	Fire Department
Rauch, Cynthia	2,150.51	Substitute Teacher
Reopel, Matthew	152.64	Fire Department
Riley, J. Michael	207.68	EMT
Ryan, Judith	11,477.50	Teacher's Aide
Sadoski, Richard	24,212.57	Teacher
Sadowski, Edward	1,706.49	Ambulance Service Manager, EMT
Sadowski, Rosemary	5,593.50	Preschool Program Aide
Sadowski, Stanley	497.50	Assistant Building Inspector
Savage, Joseph F.	26,329.68	Teacher, Guidance Counsellor
Schott, John	24,799.42	Teacher, Yearbook Advisor
Shapiro, Beppie Judith	132.00	Substitute Teacher
Shea, Robert	283.02	Fire Department
Shea, William J.	200.00	Inspector of Animals and Slaughter
Sheehan, Donald	17,839.90	Highway Worker
Siegel, Lois	19,221.04	Teacher, Class Advisor
Sikorski, Myron J.	4,494.02	Right to Know Coordinator, Fire Chief, Water Commissioner
Sikorski, Richard M.	18,260.79	Assistant Assessor
Sikorski, Robert M.	444.38	Fire Department
Sliwoski, Stanley F.	62.50	Board of Health
Slysz, Louise	20,860.00	Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Clerk, Board of Registrars - Clerk's Fees: 2,304.35
Smiarowski, Bernard	99.00	Substitute Teacher
Smith, Geraldine	26,212.04	Teacher
Smith, Mary	293.25	Census Enumerator
Sokol, Karl S.	3,861.30	Police Department, Private Duty
Southard, Eloise	136.00	Election Officer
Spellacy, Marsha	31.50	Recreation Program
Stahелеk, Nancy	12,840.36	Part-time Teacher
Start, Joan C.	25.50	Election Officer
Stenglein, Barbara M.	30,134.38	Teacher
Stoddard, Michael P.	555.09	Police Officer, EMT, Fire Department
Stroud, Mary Ellen	11,787.77	Librarian, Class Advisor
Sullivan, Kathleen	337.08	EMT
Supinski, Maura L.	2,034.00	Athletic Coach
Symanski, Amy	8.00	Town Library
Symanski, Carol	5,688.80	Town Librarian
Szych, Henry F.	3,328.16	Landfill Operator
Szych, Joseph A.	15,038.26	Janitor, Crossing Guard, Council on Aging Driver
Tessier, Cynthia A.	23,437.04	Teacher
Thayer, Walter Robert	480.00	Water Commissioner
Theberge, Kathleen	33.00	Substitute Teacher
Tousey, Joyce A.	19,346.06	Teacher
Vachula, Mary K.	5,033.26	Cafeteria Worker
Vollinger, Donald E.	282.12	Fire Department
Vollinger, Donald W.	259.86	Fire Department
Vollinger, Linda	4,274.10	Assistant Town Librarian, Substitute Teacher
Vollinger, Ralph F.	1,146.78	Water Commissioner, Police Department
Vollinger, Richard	38.16	Fire Department

Vollinger, Robert F.	120.84	Fire Department
Warchol, John A.	25,082.04	Teacher, Drama Coach
Webb, Sherry A.	31,720.36	Teacher, Athletic Director, Coach
Weeks, Gregory	19,822.38	Full-time Police Officer, Private Duty
Welsh, Joseph E.	445.50	Substitute Teacher
Wendlowski, Joseph J.	17,668.45	Highway Worker, Fire Department
Wendolowski, Lewis	22,574.91	Town Mechanic
Wendolowski, Lewis G.	1,800.00	Assessor
Wendolowski, Lynda T.	2,861.30	Selectman
Whelan, Christopher	28,931.35	Administrative Assistant, Sewer Grant
Wickles, Melanie	18,797.04	Teacher, Coach
Wilkes, John T.	9,150.00	Town Accountant
Williams, Darryl	290.97	EMT
Williams, Mary Ruth	989.50	Substitute Clerk, Town Hall
Williams, Thema	516.98	Speech Therapist
Wolejko, Alan E.	26,209.12	Teacher
Wolejko, Diane	22,551.60	Teacher
Woodward, Gordon A.	80.00	Town Moderator
Wroblewski, Edward	16,810.60	Highway Worker
Yagodzinski, C. Yvonne	330.00	Substitute Teacher
Yagodzinski, Christine	25,212.04	Substitute Teacher
Yarrows, Leonard A.	26,092.04	Teacher
Zabka, Nancy	21,674.44	Teacher, Nature's Classroom
Zaskey, Joan M.	5,942.75	Teacher's Aide
Zerner, Americo	292.56	Board of Registrars
Zerner, Deborah	797.51	Teacher
Zgrodnik, George G.	2,000.00	Selectman
Zokowski, Marjorie S.	25.50	Election Officer

PLANNING BOARD

To the Residents of Hatfield:

Since last year's report, the Town has a new set of regulations to be used in a constructive development of our industrial, business and residential areas. These regulations were passed at the annual Town Meeting in April 1987, were approved by the Attorney General and became fully effective in September 1987. Known as our MASTER PLAN, this had been in the making for several years, after many committee meetings and public hearings. As we proceed and administer these regulations, the Board has noted that additional regulations should be added and corrections or changes made to some already included. It is the intent of the Planning Board to initiate these changes as soon as the 1988 annual Town Meeting is over and bring them to public hearings in May and June.

The Board has held site plan hearings as called for in our site plan review process. Hopefully these have and will accomplish better and more progressive growth in the Town's industrial and business zones. These hearings are held in conjunction with the Industrial Development Commission with good attendance by both boards and constructive review of plans presented.

In the coming year, the Planning Board invites all citizens to present their constructive criticism for changes and updating of our zoning bylaws as we work toward attaining a better growth pattern and a more beautiful town to live in. Without your input we cannot accomplish this goal. Planning is the backbone of preserving our New England heritage in the Residential, Agricultural, Business and Industrial Zones as well as the many areas of woodland. May fiscal 1989 be as fruitful as fiscal 1988 has been.

Respectfully submitted,
A. Cory Bardwell, Chairman
Robert Banister
Robert Bartlett Jr.
Martin Holich
Edward D. Molloy

ENERGY COORDINATOR

To the Residents of Hatfield:

In 1987 this office contracted for and completed Technical Energy Audits on the Town Hall and the Highway Garage through a State grant of \$1,995. The audits proved that in general both buildings are operating efficiently from an energy consumption point of view. In 1988 we will pursue additional State grants to correct some of the minor problems pointed out by the audits.

In 1987 we also made an official request to the State for \$22,000 to update the control system on the Smith Academy Solar Heating Project. As of this writing we have unofficial notification that we will receive this money for the work to be accomplished in 1988.

We will continue to work to get our fair share of State funding and keep our buildings efficient when it comes to energy consumption.

Respectfully submitted,
Douglas R. Jones
Energy Coordinator

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Zoning Board of Appeals holds regular meetings on the first Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. in the Town Hall except during July and August.

Public hearings on petitions for variances and appeals are scheduled as needed.

The Board conducted nine public hearings during the year as follows: three requests for variances to construct closer to rear and/or side lot lines than required (all approved); one to vary the frontage requirement of Section 4.3 of the Zoning Bylaws to permit the construction of a one-family dwelling (approved); and five hearings for appeals on the building inspector's actions.

Respectfully submitted,
Thaddeus L. Kabat, Chairman
Giles F. Desmond, Clerk
Laurence P. Stoddard, Member
Kenneth R. Balise, Alternate
Linton T. Stroud, Alternate

INSPECTION SERVICES

To the Residents of Hatfield:

Building permits were issued for the following in 1987:

Single family dwellings	8
Alterations and renovations	44
Demolitions	17
Signs	3
Additions	39
Sheds	15
Garages	6
Pools	2
Dish antennas	2
Stoves	7
Fireplaces & chimneys	3
Tanks	2
Barns	2
Greenhouses	3
Storage buildings	4
Carports	2

Total estimated value of building permits: \$2,516,793.22

Electrical permits issued in 1987: 75

Plumbing permits issued in 1987: 39

Respectfully submitted,
Stanley Maciorowski
Building Inspector

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The purpose of the Industrial Development Commission is to attract industry to the Town of Hatfield. The Commission now operates as a five-member board, reduced from seven members, and feels strongly that if an industry chooses to locate in the Town of Hatfield, it must be in keeping with our agricultural, residential character.

The responsibility of the Commission is to consider location along with the impact a proposed industry may have on the services required, the environmental surroundings and the Town in general.

One of the most important changes regarding our duties occurred when the Planning Board decided to include the Commission in its site plan review system involving industrial applications. We look forward to working with the Planning Board in this respect.

The year 1988 should bring about additional and important changes proposed by this Commission. First and foremost is a proposal whereby all affected boards and agencies are notified when a building intent is submitted and the requirement to sign off in order to ensure compliance. We look forward to a productive year.

Respectfully submitted,
Christopher V.E. Smith, Chairman
David R. Battey, Secretary
Edmund Jaworski Jr.
Albert M. Omasta
Theodore S. Orson



A 500,000-gallon concrete water tank was constructed in West Hatfield, increasing Town water pressure.

SEWER COMMISSION

To the Residents of Hatfield:

On August 28, 1987, the Sewer Commission held a formal dedication ceremony for the Town's 0.5 mgd. Wastewater Treatment Plant on Main Street and system of 28,000 feet of sewers and pumping stations. This project is the culmination of many years of effort by the Town to eliminate the discharge of raw sewage to the Town's waterways. The total cost of the project was \$5.7 million, of which the Town of Hatfield paid approximately \$580,000.

We wish to thank all residents and Town boards for their cooperation and support during the planning, design and construction phases of the project. We hope that townspeople will take an opportunity to visit the treatment plant during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Francis H. Hebert, Chairman
Frederick J. Dzialo, Acting Chairman
Norman Moggio

TREE WARDEN

To the Residents of Hatfield:

Since assuming the position of Tree Warden in the Spring of 1987, I have investigated 50 or more calls from residents which shows a great concern for the condition and health of the trees in Hatfield.

Calls regarded removal of stumps, dead and diseased trees and broken and dead limbs. This was done at the following locations: three stumps removed from Maple Street, two from Main Street, two from North Street, one from Valley Street and one from School Street. Two dead or diseased trees were removed from North Hatfield Road, one large Ash from Prospect Street Extension, one large Elm from Chestnut Street and one other tree from North Main Street. Dead limbs were removed from trees on Main Street, North Hatfield Road and King Street. Trees were tagged and posted on Pantry Road and a hearing was conducted for removal by the utility companies at no cost to the Town. Trees were also tagged and posted on Old Stage Road for a distance of 1,000 feet and were removed by the utility companies for abutters, also at no cost to the Town.

Trees were selectively pruned on Elm Street, from Elm Court to Maple Street. At that point the present budget was depleted.

It is my recommendation that the Town implement a program for replenishing trees on a year-to-year basis. As in every budget, there is never enough money. It is my intention to submit a substantially larger budget than in the past and hopefully the Finance Committee will see the need since there is a tremendous amount of tree work remaining to be done. If that is accomplished, then all the concerns of residents and the Tree Warden will be resolvable.

Respectfully submitted,
Anthony Kolosewicz
Tree Warden

WATER COMMISSION

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Water Commissioners submit their annual report.

At the 1987 annual Town Meeting, \$60,000 was voted to install a new chlorinator house at the reservoir. The Water Commissioners hoped to have the project completed by the Fall of 1987. The Department of Environmental Quality Engineering prolonged approval of this project, and we finally received it on December 15, 1987. Bids will be requested, and it is hoped to award the contract around March 1, 1988. Engineer Jack Raymond has given approval for residents living above the present chlorinator to be tied into the system if there are 35 pounds pressure. Fire hydrants could also be installed from Old Stage Road to the reservoir.

The Commissioners voted to have the Town install water meters for all users on the Town system. At present, meters are required on all new installations. Grants are available for installations and application will be made. Bids for meters were opened on September 2, 1987 and Red Hed Supply was low bidder at \$36.99 for each Neptune meter. That company was awarded the contract, and 25 meters were purchased.

Bernard Pelis quit without notice as Water Superintendent on April 15, 1987. Michael McGrath was appointed Acting Water Superintendent. Applications were received for the position from Michael Schellart of South Deerfield, Thomas Thornton of Florence and Lewis Wendolowski Jr. of Hatfield. All three were interviewed, and Thomas Thornton was offered and accepted the job.

A pickup truck was acquired from government surplus. Three-inch plastic pipes were laid across a section of Straits Road for future water services, thereby eliminating the need to tear up the road at a later date. The water tank was put into operation on July 1, 1987. There were approximately four water main breaks due to the increased pressure and several house services ruptured due to rusty galvanized pipes. These were replaced with copper tubing.

During the Summer there was air in the lines because of heavy water use due to dry conditions. The Commissioners hope that in the Summer of 1988 this problem will be alleviated by the installation of the new chlorinator house. Residents are urged to conserve water.

The Commissioners wish to thank Ralph Vollinger, who resigned to work at the Court House, for his many years of service as a Water Commissioner. "Good luck Ralph and many thanks." David Michalowski was appointed to fill his place.

The Commissioners also express appreciation to the Selectmen, the new Water Superintendent, Highway Superintendent Marshall Pease and his department, the Police Department and all the citizens for their cooperation. We would also like to thank Lewis Wendolowski Jr. and Michael McGrath for their hard work as acting Water Superintendent and Helper.

Respectfully submitted,
Myron J. Sikorski, Chairman
Walter R. Thayer
David Michalowski

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Conservation Commission conducted four hearings and made numerous viewings in 1987. Because of the strengthening of the Wetland Protection Act and the determined effort of the Department of Environmental Quality Engineering to protect wetlands, the Commission has to be more formal in its procedures.

Additional regulations for the protection of wildlife habitats make it necessary for the Commission to address the issue of the effect on wildlife when considering wetland areas. The additional regulations may make it necessary for those who apply under the Act to consult professionals to properly file their Notices of Intent.

One of the biggest accomplishments of the Commission this year was the establishment of an Open Space Committee which is being funded under the Conservation District's Program.

After many years of dedicated service, Catherine L. Cole resigned from the Commission. The Town owes her a vote of thanks for her contribution to our conservation efforts. I want to thank board members for their continuing assistance which makes my job much easier.

Respectfully submitted,	
Gordon O. Williams, Chairman	Virginia Y. Orson
A. Cory Bardwell	Robert W. Start Sr.
Thaddeus L. Kabat	Chester S. Szawlowski
Dennis Morin	

OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE

To the Residents of Hatfield:

During the first half of the year, the Open Space Committee worked hard in preparing a draft of a Conservation and Recreation Plan for Hatfield. Our Committee met regularly to discuss the Town's open space resources and needs and periodically consulted the Recreation, Conservation, Industrial Development and Historical Commissions and the Fish and Game Club. We held a public information meeting and sent out a questionnaire to residents to gauge their opinions about land use, economic growth and recreation facilities.

We undertook an extensive inventory of Hatfield's agricultural, conservation and recreation resources; studied its organic, industrial and social environment; assembled a description of land protective techniques and open space funding; and drew up a set of goals and a five-year plan for achieving them. These goals are to retain farmland for farm use and Town character; to protect wetlands and flood plains; to protect water supplies; to protect prime woodlands; and to provide adequate recreational space.

Our editor synthesized the results of our research and wrote the first draft of the plan, which we submitted to the Division of Conservation Services on August 1. We await the Division's response before we reconvene to write the final version of the plan for publication. The pressures on Hatfield's rural, agricultural character are increasing rapidly, and without sustained attention and action, the Town will be in danger of losing much of its fields, forests and wetlands, and consequently, its unique physical beauty and its historic economic base.

Respectfully submitted,	
Joan E. Cocks, Editor	Frederick J. McLaughlin
Terry A. Blunt, Chairman	Dennis C. Morin
Paul Davis	Dawn Otello-Morin
Thomas E. Matuszko	Christopher V.E. Smith

VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION

To the Residents of Hatfield:

During the year, 375 visits were made to homes to render nursing care to the acute and chronically ill. All visits were done at the request of the family physician or by referral from the hospital. The fee, \$3.00 per visit, was based on the patient's ability to pay.

Nursing visits were classified as follows: medical, 347; surgical, 16; and orthopedic, 12.

We would like to remind townspeople of the availability of items in the Loan Closet. They may be obtained by calling my home at 247-5916.

We give a special thank you to Mr. Anthony Rolla for donating two walkers.

Respectfully submitted,
Lucille H. Godek, R.N.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance as of July 1, 1986	\$	5.71
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Receipts:

From Visiting Nurse	\$ 665.00	
From Town of Hatfield	<u>6,748.00</u>	
		<u>7,413.00</u>
Total Receipts		\$7,418.71

Expenses:

Nurse's Salary	\$6,205.00	
Clerk	222.00	
Mileage	294.74	
Prof. Liability Insurance	100.00	
Post Office Box Rental	5.00	
Federal Unemployment Tax	48.97	
Social Security	435.17	
Mass. Div. Employment Security	76.00	
Bank Charge	<u>16.66</u>	
Total Expenses		<u>7,403.54</u>

Balance as of July 1, 1987	\$	15.17
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Respectfully submitted,
Margaret A. Cantwell
Treasurer

VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION (Continued)

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Visiting Nurse Association of Hatfield had its annual meeting on January 13, 1988 at which Lucille Godek, R.N. tendered her notice of retirement which was received with regret. She has worked on a part-time basis giving full-time coverage to our community since 1948. Her 40 years of loyalty and devotion to the citizens of Hatfield have been greatly appreciated.

The Nursing Advisory Committee of our Association has discussed the present day need for this organization and has decided to disband at this time. Reasons for this action are as follows: lack of referrals from physicians and local hospitals; pre-requisites for insurance coverage to provide a more broad spectrum of care (e.g., physical therapy, speech therapy and social workers); and availability of those services through the Northampton Visiting Nurses' Association.

Mrs. Margaret Cantwell is also ending 40 years of service as secretary-treasurer of the organization. Her many years of dedicated service are also much appreciated.

Mrs. Godek will continue to operate a program for borrowing sick room supplies (e.g., crutches, wheelchairs, commodes) and appliances. This community service is based in her 23 Prospect Street home.

I feel certain that those citizens who have utilized the services of the Visiting Nurse Association will remember this organization with warm regards.

Respectfully yours,
Ethel M. Podmayer
President

BOARD OF HEALTH

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Board of Health continues to administer many State and local laws and regulations enacted to ensure the health and safety of residents.

During 1987 the Board regretfully accepted the resignation of Chairman Leslie A. LaBarge Sr. and gratefully accepted the appointment of Stanley J. Sliwoski for the remainder of his term.

The ongoing problem of waste disposal is a major issue in all communities, and every effort is being made by the Board to solve our problems in the most economical and efficient manner.

Action has been taken against illegal sewage disposal systems throughout the Town in the hope that these steps will help improve the health, safety and environment within our boundaries.

We would like to remind residents that the Board meets Monday evenings as posted in the Town Hall, and all are welcome to attend and ask questions or make comments.

Respectfully submitted,
Thomas O. Hart, Chairman
Alan K. Cameron
Stanley J. Sliwoski

COUNCIL ON AGING

To the Residents of Hatfield:

Clinics sponsored by the Council on Aging in the Senior Center, located downstairs in the Town Hall, are as follows: blood pressure, second Monday of the month; foot, quarterly; hearing, twice a year; flu shots, annually. A total of 100 flu shots were administered in 1987.

Highland Valley Elder Services sponsors the noontime meal program for the elderly, aged 60 and over, five days a week. This year, 6,200 meals were served in the Town Hall meal site and 2,500 were home delivered. Volunteers serve and deliver the meals. Those who are eligible, receive food including milk, cheese and other products once a month under the Brown Bag Program. A Fuel Assistance Program is sponsored by the Council each year between October and April. Store discount cards are available for those aged 55 and over.

Transportation is provided all senior citizens for appointments to doctors, dentists and hospitals in the morning or afternoon. Arrangements must be made ahead by calling the Senior Center Monday through Friday mornings at 247-9003. There is van transportation available each Wednesday for grocery shopping.

Council Coordinator Kathy LaBarge arranged trips this year for senior citizens to the Boston Flower Show, Statue of Liberty, Paramount Resort, Eastern States Exposition and Atlantic City. The Council also sponsored a Spring Fling dinner dance at the local American Legion Home in February, a cookout at the Lions Pavillion in July and the annual Christmas party at the Legion Home in December.

The Council would like to give a special thank you to Cindy Sadowski, R.N., who is in charge of the flu shot clinic and to all volunteer nurses who assist at blood pressure clinics.

Respectfully submitted,
Donald A. Lavigne, Chairman
Irene M. Dzwil, Co-chairman
Joseph T. Zembiski, Treasurer
Olga Wendolowski, Secretary
Henry P. Betsold, Historian

Blood pressure clinics are held monthly in the Senior Center. Taking part are Nurse Alfred Proulx, left, and Eloise Southard.



POLICE DEPARTMENT

During the past year, all members of the Police Department have been certified in the use of firearms, C.P.R., Radar instruction, Reserve/Intermittent officer, A.I.D.S. and Officer Refresher.

The following is the Department report for January 1 through December 31, 1987:

Complaints received/investigated	711	Possession of controlled substance	7
Complaints referred to other depts.	41	Break & enter daytime/nighttime	22
Doors found open	132	Larceny over/under \$100	58
Fires attended	17	Willful and malicious damage	57
Ambulance calls attended	27	Minor possession of alcohol	46
Hospital trips	8	Motor vehicle fatalities	4
Accidents reported/investigated	56	Speeding warnings/citations	257
Show-cause hearings requested	20	Defective equipment	27
Summons served/requested	65	Failure to stay within lane	9
Search warrant served	1	Inspection sticker violations	21
Warrant served/requested	21	Stop sign violations	37
Restraining orders served	15	Operating unregistered motor	8
Alarms checked	41	vehicle/uninsured motor vehicle	
Gun permits issued	45	Operating without license	11
Gun permits revoked or suspended	4	Leaving scene of accident	8
Arrests effected	19	Driving after license suspended	4
Person placed in protective custody	51	Operating under influence of	11
Recovered motor vehicles	1	alcohol/drugs	
Child/elder abuse	5	Motor vehicles towed	52
Rape	2	Complaints liquor violations	1
		Parking violations	30

On September 1, 1987, Crocker Communication began service for the Police Department, emergency telephone number: 247-9222. This action was taken to ensure 24-hour, 7-day a week telephone coverage. The system is working very well. For any non-emergency police matters, residents and visitors in our community are invited to use my home phone number, 247-9455, for assistance.

My sincere thanks to the various boards and residents of the Town of Hatfield for assistance and support during this past year.

Respectfully submitted,
David M. Hurley
Chief of Police

FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Residents of Hatfield:

During the past year all members of the Fire Department were certified in cardio-pulmonary resuscitation and as First Responders as mandated by law. We are sorry that several firefighters had to be dismissed from the Department because they refused to be certified.

Starting in the early Spring, all Hatfield fire calls will be dispatched through the Hampshire County Dispatch Center at the Amherst Fire Station. Emergency fire and ambulance telephone numbers will be the same: 253-3433.

I would like to encourage citizens to become firefighters. We have to think of the future protection of our Town after the older firefighters have retired.

I would like to thank the Selectmen, firefighters, Police Department and anyone else who helped in any way to support the Department this year.

The Fire Department responded to the following calls in 1987:

Grass fires	9	Gas odor	1
Gas grill	1	Chimney fires	4
Car fires	7	House fire	1
Mutual Aid	2	Investigations	18

Inspections made and permits issued:

Oil burner	30	Fire reports	6
Smoke detector inspections	51	New underground tanks	3
Smoke detectors for new homes	11	Removal underground tanks	17
Blasting	3	Outdoor burning	45

Respectfully submitted,
Myron J. Sikorski
Fire Chief

AMBULANCE SERVICE

To the Residents of Hatfield:

During the past year, ambulance service personnel responded to 97 emergency calls in the Town of Hatfield.

The service at the present time is staffed by 12 EMT basics, 1 EMT intermediate and 1 EMT paramedic. Three of the EMT basics are taking the EMT intermediate course which will advance them toward advanced life support service. Each EMT is required to take a minimum amount of courses each year to remain certified. We have several openings for EMTs. Please contact the ambulance manager for details. CPR classes are offered to residents and area businesses by the EMTs.

May I extend my sincere thanks to the EMTs, the Selectmen and all other citizens for the support given to the ambulance service during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,
Theodore E. Celatka Jr., Manager
J. Michael Riley, Asst. Manager



Flooding on April 1 came close to that of June 1, 1984. The latter date is marked on the Bonneville Bridge located across from the Legion Home.

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS COMMITTEE

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Disaster Preparedness Committee entered its second year with "sleeves rolled up," dedicated to the task of keeping the Town a safe and healthy community.

The Town now has a number of concerns that must use chemicals in the normal conduction of their business. But, because of the public's growing awareness of the storage, use and resulting effects of chemicals on our lives, Town officials directed the Committee to investigate the acquisition of a government surplus emergency vehicle. This vehicle is to be used during chemical accidents or for any other emergency such as flood, fire or car or train accidents.

In October the Committee located a government surplus Chevrolet Step Van in excellent condition which it purchased for \$300. Representatives of the Fire, Police, Ambulance and Civil Defense Departments met with the Committee to compile a list of equipment needed for this emergency vehicle. The list was submitted to the Selectmen for consideration.

In November the Committee made the following recommendations to the Selectmen regarding steps to be taken in case of flood: department heads to be notified and their activities coordinated; immediate inspections to be made of flood-prone areas; designation of the Town Hall as the Emergency Operation Center; and notification of the Red Cross and other agencies if necessary. After much study, the Committee also made a number of recommendations to the Selectmen regarding the use and placement of Town pumps during a flooding emergency.

This Committee's purpose continues to be concern for the safety and well-being of townspeople and their property during emergencies.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert J. Osepowicz, Chairman
Anthony Gillespie, Secretary
Myron J. Sikorski
Gregory E. Weeks
Theodore E. Celatka Jr.

ARTS LOTTERY COUNCIL

To the Residents of Hatfield:

Twice each year the Arts Lottery Council has an opportunity to support local artists and cultural activities through grants made possible by the State Megabucks Lottery Game. Funds are made available to each town according to a formula based on population, and the proceeds from this particular Lottery game.

Each Spring and Fall, the Council meets to review applications and make initial decisions, which are forwarded to the State Council which, in January and in July, announces its final decisions and distributes funds to the Town for final distribution when projects are completed.

The Hatfield Council seeks to aid in identifying, developing and promoting the vitality of our local cultural resources and to involve as many Hatfield citizens as possible in some aspect of these cultural activities. Applications are available in the Town Hall and may be submitted to Council members at any time during the year. Deadlines for grant requests are posted prior to each meeting to enable the Council to review the material for necessary supporting data, etc.

The following grants were awarded during the Spring 1987 funding cycle and were approved by the State Council: American Legion Post #344, marching bands for Memorial Day Parade, \$179; Joseph F. Dzialo, drawing class for adults and children during August, \$90; Brenda Minisci, relief sculpture for Town collection, \$600.

And in a separate program, funded by the same Lottery, the Performing Arts Student Series (PASS), the schools may apply for funds to permit students to attend cultural performances, and to bring performing artists to the schools.

During the Spring funding cycle the only PASS application made was approved for the Smith Academy drama students to attend a musical at the Little Flags theatre in the Sullivan School in Northampton, \$60.

For the Spring 1987 funding cycle, Council membership was as follows: Judy Ryan, Chairperson, Barbara Brown, Sandra Leary, Brenda Minisci, Michael Ponti, Deborah Tobie, Ruth Urell and Eileen Wilson. Judy Ryan's term on the Council expired this Summer, and the Council wishes to express its appreciation to her for her six years of service.

At the Fall meeting, \$1,425 in regular grants and \$690 in PASS grants were approved and sent to Boston for final decisions, to be announced in January.

Respectfully submitted,
Brenda E. Minisci, Chairperson
Barbara R. Brown
Sandra K. Leary
Michael V. Ponti
Deborah Tobie
Ruth S. Urell
Eileen Wilson

HISTORICAL COMMISSION

To the Residents of Hatfield:

Progress has been made this year by the Historical Commission in achieving two goals. First, Smith Charities has agreed to provide a plaque to designate the birthplace of Oliver Smith (North Street) whose money founded Smith Charities and Smith Vocational High School. Our thanks go to President Thomas Lyons and Treasurer Donald Shea, both of Smith Charities, for helping us reach this goal.

Second, the Massachusetts Association of Land Surveyors and Civil Engineers, through the efforts of Richard Woods, has agreed to survey and appraise a 15-foot strip of land to and around the Borden Baseline stone on Bridge Street and will provide a sign to be placed by the road denoting this important site. The Borden Baseline stone is one of three markers from which the Commonwealth of Massachusetts was originally surveyed, and is now the only one which can be located. It is recognized as a National Civil Engineers' monument. The Commissioners wish to thank Edward LaCoille, who will be donating the land and the Borden Baseline stone to the Town.

This year, for the first time, the Commissioners presented certificates of merit to seven Hatfield property owners who restored their buildings, keeping to the style of the original architecture. Recipients of this award were Charles and Elizabeth Maguire, 21 School Street; Cecil Clark, 64 Main Street; Kathleen and Peter Grandonico, 36 Main Street; Richard and Janet Phaneuf, 4 Elm Street; Royal and Kathleen Theberge, 31 Main Street; Robert and Carol Benson, 18 Elm Street; and the Valley Advocate, 87 School Street. The latter property is listed on the National Historic Register. We plan to present these awards annually, recognizing and appreciating the efforts that individual property owners make in preserving the Town's heritage. We would like to encourage residents to nominate deserving property owners to be considered for next year's awards.

Completion of a historical inventory remains a priority. We applied for a matching-funds grant through the Massachusetts Historical Commission and are waiting to hear from them. (Report continued on next page.)



The Historical Commission seeks funding to reset the rare cannons in front of the Dickinson Memorial building. New quarters are needed for the museum on the second floor.

HISTORICAL COMMISSION (Continued)

Uppermost in our concerns also is locating larger facilities for our ever-expanding historical museum collection now housed on the second floor of the Dickinson Memorial building.

An inventory of the tombstones in the Town's cemeteries continues. Special thanks go to Robert L. Sawicki and Richard D. Belden Sr. for clearing brush from around the Caleb Cooley Dickinson monument in the North Hatfield Cemetery.

This year the Massachusetts Food and Agriculture Council requested a list of Hatfield farms that have been in continual use for 200 years. We listed: Luther A. Belden Inc. farm (Gordon O. Williams), Richard D. Belden Sr. farm, A. Cory Bardwell farm and John C. Rankin farm (through the Billings).

The Commission voted this year to financially assist the Selectmen in extensively restoring the Town clock located in the First Congregational Church steeple.

Representatives from the 9th Massachusetts Light Battery (Civil War) brought to our attention the fact that we need to reset the granite blocks under four cannons which stand in front of the Dickinson Memorial building. These cannons are rare and unique in the fact that there are four of them in one place. There were 200 originally made at West Point in the 1840s and only seven remain today. We are seeking funding for this work.

The Commissioners wish to also thank the Historical Society, Selectmen and Finance Committee for assisting us in our work this year.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Lou B. Cutter, Chairman
Kathleen Z. Grandonico, Secretary
George H. Ashley III
Richard D. Belden Sr.
Robert L. Sawicki

LIBRARIAN

To the Residents of Hatfield:

I hereby submit my first annual report as Librarian of the Hatfield Public Library.

Carol Symanski and Linda Vollinger resigned from their respective posts as Librarian and Assistant Librarian in September after eight years of dedicated service. They were honored by the Board of Trustees and will be missed by the community.

For the year ending in June, 1987, circulation totaled 20,780 books and periodicals. More than 770 new books were acquired, bringing the collection total to 26,723. The library continues to enjoy the many benefits of its association with the Western Massachusetts Regional Library System (WMRLS), especially the privilege of borrowing films, video and audio tapes and, through the Inter-Library Loan Department, books and materials requested by patrons that are not available in the Hatfield library.

The Summer Reading Program, planned by WMRLS and sponsored by the Hatfield Book Club, was very successful as was the story hour program for preschool and school-age children offered during July and August. The storytellers this year were: Eileen Flavin, Ann Walaszek, Halina Wilkes, Cheryl Curtis and Carol Symanski.

Appreciation is extended to all Book Club members for their support and generous contributions. Thanks, too, to Jane Yolen for the many books she has donated throughout the year, and to other townspeople who have made gifts to the library. The library has enjoyed providing a room for the monthly meetings of Jane Yolen's writers' group.

A new copper gutter system was installed on the original library building, and a large, custom-made book shelf has been added.

I wish to express my appreciation to the Trustees, Halina Wilkes, Ann Marie Walaszek and Karen Kallipolites and to new Library Assistant, Laura Pattison, for their support and generous help since I assumed my new position.

Respectfully submitted,
Judith A. Dolven
Librarian

RECREATION COMMISSION

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Recreation Commission would like to thank the community again for providing financial support for the many programs made available this past year.

Participation in all recreation league sports was excellent. Members of youth soccer this year took part in a league set up by Granby and played many surrounding towns. Our special thanks to Greg Pederson for overseeing the program. Also, we express our thanks to Walter Thayer for welding repair work done on the soccer goals.

In basketball this year, the girls are participating in the Suburban League. We hope to be able to get boys' teams entered as well next year. We wish to express our thanks to "Bud" Duseau for the donation of uniforms for the girls' teams.

Respectfully submitted,
Bruce G. Brown, Chairman
Timothy J. Carroll
Stephen W. Vinelli Jr.
Lester E. Kopinto
Janet Douglas

SCHOOL COMMITTEE
AND
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Residents of Hatfield:

The Hatfield School Committee was composed of the following members:

Before June 1987

Dorothy M. Breor, Chairman
Frank J. Dombkowski, Secretary
Douglas R. Jones
Yvette G. Zannini
J. Michael Cahill

After June 1987

Douglas R. Jones, Chairman
Dorothy M. Breor, Secretary
J. Michael Cahill
Frank J. Dombkowski
Mary B. Williams

The Committee abided by the Department of Education rules and regulations as an appendage of the State Office. This report, as submitted, covers the time frame of July 1, 1986 through June 30, 1987.

During this time Michael Cahill was elected to a full term succeeding Yvette Zannini whose term expired.

Mary Williams was appointed to fill the balance of the term that Michael Cahill vacated.

Douglas Jones was elected Chairman and Dorothy M. Breor was elected Secretary.

The elected members of the School Committee attempt to provide the best educational program, facilities and staff for the benefit of school-age children in Hatfield.

The second Tuesday of each month is the designated time for monthly meetings. The Committee's items for consideration should be submitted to the Superintendent of Schools the Friday before the regularly scheduled meeting.

MAINTENANCE

This year the Maintenance Sub-Committee undertook a systematic review of the department's maintenance needs and compiled a prioritized summer maintenance schedule.

In addition to maintaining and repairing school equipment, maintaining school grounds and regular cleaning of the schools, the following specific projects were completed. At the Breor School: repair or replacement of north side gym doors, boiler room doors and front doors; painting of all exterior doors; repair sidewalks, caulk exterior grates and univents; renovate locker room for use as School Psychologist's office; remove trash incinerator to improve storage; replace hallway carpeting; repair milk cooler; and replace rotary push mower.

At Smith Academy: replace ceiling tiles where necessary; install electrical outlets and ground fault in training room; paint west wall in gym; paint all interior door surfaces.

PERSONNEL

The following staff appointments were made: Susan Albino, Speech Pathologist; Leslie Patlin, Spanish Teacher; Cindy Rauch, S.P.E.D. Tutor; Joyce Tousey, S.P.E.D. and Reading; Ken Mutch, School Psychologist; Dorcas Jepson, Grades 5, 6; Geraldine Higgins, Library Aide; and Joan Zaskey, Kindergarten Aide.

Mrs. Marguerite Paszek retired as School Van Driver. We thank Mrs. Paszek for her many years of dedicated service to the children of Hatfield.

The Committee adopted a new Personnel Policy for all non-union personnel. The new policy booklet also includes a comprehensive salary schedule for all non-union positions in the system.

Written contracts and salary schedules were developed for all administrators. The school system, as a result of these efforts, now has written agreements, salary schedules and job descriptions covering all employees.

A new Observation/Evaluation report form was developed by a joint committee of administrators and teachers. The new form will provide for more systematic observation and evaluation of teacher performance.

An evaluation form for non-union personnel was also completed.

The new position of Curriculum Coordinator was created for business, elementary subjects, physical education, industrial arts, English/history, foreign language and math/science. Stipends for these positions were provided through a State Grant.

Unpaid leaves of absence were granted for Michael Cadran, social studies, and Giles Hopkins, English.

GRANTS

The school system received a third E.E.O. (Equal Educational Opportunity) Grant. The grant is provided under Chapter 188, Acts of 1985, and is intended to be used for direct services, new programs, equipment or materials. The grant, \$62,470, may not be used to reduce the regular budget prepared by the School Committee. E.E.O. money was used this year to pay the salaries of two teachers, a teacher's aide, and for the purchase of instructional materials.

We also applied for and received an Early Childhood Grant of \$10,000. This enabled the School Department to complete a study of early childhood education in the Hatfield schools and to make proposals with respect to desirable changes.

The Department also applied for an Implementation Grant of \$36,200 that, if approved, will allow the school system to implement the plan drafted under the previous grant.

This infusion of new money will enable the School Department to make substantial changes in the Early Childhood Curriculum as well as the physical arrangements of classrooms.

Finally, a Gifted and Talented Grant was received in the amount of \$5,000 which will result in the establishment of a pilot program offering enrichment courses after school and on weekends.

Most grants are competitive, requiring the preparation of written proposals by the administrative staff. We commend our grant writers for a job well done.

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCILS

As a result of the passage of Chapter 188, the Acts of 1985, School Improvement Councils have been formed at the Breor School and at Smith Academy. The Councils, made up of Parents, Teachers and Administrators receive grant funds in the amount of \$10 per student that they may use for purchases to benefit their respective schools.

This year a Xerox copy machine was purchased for the teachers' room at Smith Academy and at Breor School, the P.A. system was completely updated.

AWARDS

The School Department continues to be the beneficiary of numerous donations and we thank the various contributors for thinking of the school system and the children that it serves.

We thank the Lions Club for its continued support and for the scholarship award (a copy of which is included, by request, in this report); for the Academic Achievement awards banquet to which 18 seniors were invited this past year; for support of the first annual graduation party at the Lions Pavillion; and the many kindnesses that have been extended to the students in Hatfield.

We thank the Hatfield Book Club for its continued support and involvement.

We thank Ambassador and Mrs. Ryan for their financial and moral support. We also thank Benson Insulation of Hatfield for matching the original donation of Ambassador Ryan.

We thank the American Legion for its gift of Microfiche listing of scholarships, grants, loans and fellowships.

Finally, we would like to thank all of you who gave so generously to sports teams and student fundraisers who collected throughout the community for various good causes during the year.

TRUSTEES

This past year the Smith Academy Board of Trustees donated a fully equipped Computer Lab to Smith Academy. Their generosity has made it possible for the Academy faculty to offer a very complete and up-to-date program of studies utilizing the computer. We applaud the Trustees for their contributions to the education of Hatfield's children.

CURRICULUM

During the past year the newly appointed curriculum coordinators chaired groups of teachers who completed the definition of scope and sequence of curriculum for Grades K-12. Curriculum outlines were written for all subject areas and will be used next year as a guideline for curriculum review and renewal.

A course description booklet for Smith Academy was also completed.

Teachers participated in a number of professional development workshops during the year. Early Childhood Education, math workshops, instructional workshops and computer workshops were some of the areas emphasized. Teachers also participated in a number of one-day conferences designed to enhance their teaching skills.

A new Chapter of the National Honor Society, the Sophia Chapter, was established at Smith Academy. The National Honor Society is open to students with a 3.5 grade point average and replaces the Pro Merito Society.

The School Department hosted a College Night for all schools in the County. One hundred and fifty-four colleges were represented and the students in our school system were benefited.

A G R E E M E N T

This is an agreement between Lions Club, of Hatfield, and the School Committee of the Town of Hatfield, Massachusetts, entered into on this FOURTH day of FEBRUARY, 19 86, in which the parties in consideration of the mutual promises herein contained agree as follows:

FIRST: Lions Club of Hatfield, shall pay to the School Committee of the Town of Hatfield at the time of the execution of this agreement the sum of \$2,363.42 for the purpose of establishing a fund to be known as the Lions Club Awards, and any amounts may be added to the principal in the future. The money from said fund, but not less than the sum of Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00 each to a boy and a girl) annually, except as provided in Paragraph 4 of this agreement, shall be used solely for awarding a commencement prize to be known as the Lions Club Awards to members of the graduating class of Smith Academy of Hatfield, Massachusetts, after completing formal application. Said funds shall be transmitted by the School Committee to the Treasurer of the Town of Hatfield, who will be the custodian of said funds. Withdrawals from said fund for the sole purpose of making the Lions Club Awards shall be made by the Treasurer of the Town of Hatfield on behalf of the School Committee.

SECOND: The Lions Club Awards shall be made at the commencement exercises for the graduating class of 19 87 of Smith Academy and shall thereafter be made annually at the commencement exercises of Smith Academy.

THIRD: The selection of the recipients of the Lions Club Awards (by application at proper time as will be announced by School Administration) from members of the graduating class of 19 87 of Smith Academy who are of good scholastic standing, have a good moral character and have a desire to further their education beyond High School. Shall be made by the faculty of Smith Academy whose decision shall be binding and conclusive on all parties.

FOURTH: Twenty percent of the annual income shall remain with the principal and eighty percent may be used for awards. At the discretion of the School Committee, the amount of said awards and the number of awards in any given year may be increased in an equal number of boys and girls, and equal amounts, any funds not awarded in any given year shall become a part of the principal in perpetuity. A certificate of award shall be presented to students at a commencement exercise, stating the amount of the award for presentation to the (school for payment for second semester billing) and or (for presentation to town treasurer for second semester payment) (payable to the school) in behalf of the recipient.

FIFTH: This agreement shall be executed in triplicate.

SIXTH: This agreement shall be binding upon the heirs and successors in the office of the parties to this agreement.

Signed this Eleventh day of February, 19 86.

David W. Leary
Thaddeus Kabat

SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE TOWN OF HATFIELD

BY: Dorothy M. Brewer
Joseph Dougherty
Chittie Zennaro
Francis L. Dwyer
[Signature]

State Assessment test results were received for Grades 3, 7 and 11, and students in Hatfield scored from average to well above in all areas tested (science, math and reading). State Basic Skills test results were received for Grades 6 and 9 and again Hatfield students were average to above average.

Grade 7 students again participated in Nature's Classroom, a week-long educational program on Cape Cod.

POLICY

Graduation requirements were amended to allow certain students, with the approval of the guidance counselor, to take five subjects at Smith Academy instead of six.

O'Rourke's Auto School provided Driver Education for Smith Academy students.

A new honor roll formula was adopted for Smith Academy. The honor roll is based on a weighted system that gives more value to grades earned in a course that meets five times a week as opposed to one that meets twice.

Also adopted were: a Suicide Prevention Policy that provides guidelines for staff when dealing with a student who may be considered "at risk"; a policy for school transportation that spells out discipline procedures; a policy governing dropping and adding courses at Smith Academy; a policy governing the use of the school car and other school vehicles; a policy governing age entry for Kindergarten which states:

1987-1988	Children entering Kindergarten must reach age 5 by October 31.
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1988-1989	Children entering Kindergarten must reach age 5 by August 31.
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A Substitute Teachers' Policy was adopted providing \$33 per day for non-certified and \$40 per day for certified teachers.

An Aids/Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome School Attendance Policy was adopted that spells out procedures to be followed in the event a child is stricken with Aids.

OTHER

Attorney Nicholas Marshall resigned as School Department legal counsel to take a position with the State Board of Arbitration and Conciliation. He has been replaced by Attorney William Coulter of Westfield.

A new van was purchased by the School Department to replace one of our older vans as the primary over-the-road vehicle for Special Education transportation.

ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Francis L. Gougeon was appointed Superintendent/Principal.

Mr. Frank Abarno was appointed Co-Principal of Smith Academy. Ms. Linda Driscoll continues to serve as Director of Instructional Services.

ATHLETICS

1. Field Hockey - Central Division Co-Champions, Western Mass. Tournament Finalist
2. Cheering - 1st Place Chicopee Tournament, 1st Place David Prouty, 2nd Place Bartlett, 4th Place Franklin
3. Boys' Basketball - Qualified for Western Mass. Tournament
4. Baseball - Qualified for Western Mass. Tournament
5. Softball - Bi-County League Champions, Western Mass. Champions, State Champions
6. Golf - Western Mass. Tournament and Individual Tournaments

Many individuals were selected for All League and Western Mass. honors.

This is a short review of some of our endeavors throughout the year. We want to extend our sincere appreciation and thanks to the staff, parents, pupils and townspeople for their continued support and assistance throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,
Francis L. Gougeon
Superintendent of Schools
for the School Committee



The Smith Academy softball team captured the State championship title this year.

AWARDS

Smith Academy Graduation 1987

SCHOOL COMMITTEE AWARDS--Valedictorian - Julie Carroll
Salutatorian - Andrea Jones
Third Honors - Mark Banasieski

PRO MERITO PINS--Patricia Balise, Mark Banasieski, Kari Brodeur, Julie Carroll, Sarah Drury, Michael Englehardt, Francis Flavin, Lisa Fleury, Stacy Gomillion, Beth Harubin, Michael Hurley, Andrea Jones, Paula Kukucka, Michele Labbee, Brian Osley, Nancy Pelis, George Smarz, Amy Symanski, Patricia Theberge and Debra Vollinger.

ORATORY MEDALS--from the American Legion for the girl and boy who won first prize in the annual Prize Speaking Contest--Kristen Gougeon & David Lee Bell

A U.S. SAVINGS BOND--from the American Legion for rendering the Gettysburg Address at the annual Memorial Day exercises--David Lee Bell

NANNY KOSSICK MEMORIAL AWARD--A U.S. Bond for rendering the Preamble to the Massachusetts Constitution at the annual Memorial Day Exercises, from Frankie Labbee in memory of her mother, "Nanny" Kossick--Kristen Gougeon

PATRICIA ZEMBISKI MEMORIAL AWARD--to the member of the graduating class of Smith Academy who shall continue his or her higher education in the preparation for a nursing or a teaching career--Beth Harubin

HATFIELD BOOK CLUB ANNUAL LITERARY AWARD--given to the student who has shown the greatest interest and improvement and who has made outstanding contributions in the Literary Field--Francis Flavin

LIONS CLUB AWARDS--to a senior boy and a senior girl who are planning to continue their education--Patricia Balise & Francis Flavin

WOMEN'S CLUB OF THE HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC CHURCH AWARD--to the top commercial student--Kari Brodeur

SUZANNE M. NOVAK MEMORIAL AWARD--to a member of the graduating class of Smith Academy who has demonstrated his or her proficiency in the subject of English and/or shall continue his or her education in preparation for a teaching career--Lisa Fleury

HATFIELD TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION AWARDS--to the students who have high achievements scholastically and in extracurricular activities and/or plan to enter the teaching field--Amy Symanski, Julie Carroll & Patricia Theberge

THE FLORENCE E. MULLER FOREIGN LANGUAGE AWARD--to the senior who has demonstrated the most proficiency or outstanding progress in the study of Latin--Patricia Theberge

JOHN LESUKOSKI MEMORIAL AWARD--to a boy or girl of the graduating class of Smith Academy who is of sound character, has excelled in athletics and is also considered a credit to the school and community--Brian Osley

FRANK KOCHAN MEMORIAL AWARD--to a boy or girl of the graduating class of Smith Academy who is of sound character, has excelled in basketball and is also considered a credit to the school and community--Francis Flavin

MAUREEN A. DENN MEMORIAL AWARDS--to a girl and boy member of the graduating class of Smith Academy who are of sound character, best exhibit the talents and characteristics of Maureen and who are also a credit to the school and community--Michele Labbee & Michael Hurley

THE CHRISTINE AND JOHN ADAMS MEMORIAL AWARD--to the student who has contributed the most to Smith Academy by his or her manner and speech--Anne Spellacy

HERITAGE SAVINGS BANK SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--Mark Banasieski

CLASS OF 1976 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--Becki Corbett

CLASS OF 1977 SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--George Smarz

CLUB TW KAZIMIERZA AWARDS--to a boy and girl of the graduating class who have achieved excellence in scholastics and athletics--Amy Symanski & Norman Graves

AMBASSADOR AND MRS. ROBERT J. RYAN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AWARD--to a senior who has shown interest, awareness and leadership in global education, international relations and United Nations activities--Anne Spellacy

CAROL L. CUTTER MEMORIAL AWARD--to a graduate of Smith Academy who is of sound character, in good academic standing, a credit to the school and community, and who is continuing her education in the field of law--April Kozash

FAN GAUDETTE AWARDS--to a member of the graduating class of Smith Academy who has demonstrated in his or her participation in a fall sport, a determination to accomplish the objectives of that sport, persistent in improving his or her skill and displays good sportsmanship and academic achievements--Patricia Theberge

HATFIELD SOCCER ASSOCIATION AWARD--to the senior player who has contributed the most to the Soccer Program at Smith Academy--David McGannon

MARTHA PELISSIER BOYLE SCHOLARSHIP--to a member of the graduating class of Smith Academy who plans to further their education and has maintained high scholastic standards--Kari Brodeur

FIELD HOCKEY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--to the senior who has contributed the most to the Field Hockey Program at Smith Academy as chosen by her teammates--Julie Carroll

BRENDA DEMERS SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--to a student in the graduating class of Smith Academy who has demonstrated an interest and proficiency in Art--Ann Zgrodnik

THE SUNSHINE SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF LYNNE LABBEE--to a girl of the graduating class of Smith Academy with a warm personality exhibiting extreme enthusiasm, cooperation, politeness and vivaciousness--all qualities that Lynne shared on a daily basis with others--Debra Vollinger

THE RICHARD LABBEE LEGACY--to a senior boy with modest traits who has shown high initiative and independence oriented toward the college study of business as a career--Michael Englehardt

THE SOPHIE MOKRZECKI AWARDS FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE--to the students who have been designated as the three academic leaders of the graduating class--Mark Banasieski, Julie Carroll & Andrea Jones

HATFIELD POLICE ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--to a boy or girl who will pursue a course in law enforcement--Anne Drury

BRENDA M. OSLEY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--to the boy or girl with the most outstanding computer ability and whose anticipated career will involve the use of computers--Francis Flavin

SMITH ACADEMY DRAMA CLUB AWARDS--to two members of the Senior Class who have participated the most in the Drama Club at Smith Academy--Michele Labbee & Nancy Pelis

THE SOPHIA SMITH SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--four-year \$500 scholarships--Julie Carroll & Michele Labbee; four-year \$250 scholarships--Andrea Jones & Paula Kukucka

BETA SIGMA PHI SORORITY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD--to a boy or girl achieving academic excellence and demonstrating a determination to pursue a career in their chosen field--Patricia Theberge

THE ALFRED A. SKOCZYLAS SCHOLARSHIP--to a member of the Senior Class who has shown steady improvement over the years and wishes to continue with advancement after graduation--Patricia Balise

SMITH ACADEMY KEY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP--to a student who has been active in all Key Club activities serving School and Community and has maintained high academic standards--Erik Smith

HATFIELD FYFE & DRUM CORPS SCHOLARSHIP--to a student who has exhibited an interest in music and will be continuing his/her education--Ann Zgrodnik

MATTHEW AND HELEN KLOCKO MEMORIAL AWARD--to a senior who is ranked among the top three graduates and has shown exemplary citizenship and participation in community interests--Julie Carroll

GRADUATES--Class of 1987

Patricia Ann Balise, Mark R. Banasieski, Kari Helene Brodeur, Anthony Thomas Boszko, Julie Ann Carroll, Becki-Holli Corbett, Sarah Elizabeth Drury, Michael Edward Englehardt, Paul Edward Ferguson, Francis Edward Flavin III, Lisa Ann Fleury, Stacy Lynne Gomillion, Laura Lee Goodrow, Norman Frederick Graves II, Beth Ann Harubin, Amy Janine Higgins, Michael Thomas Hurley, Andrea Catherine Jones, April Lee Kozash, Holly Ann Kozera, Paula Katherine Kukucka, Michele Kathryn Labbee, Debra Jean Malinowski, David Curtis McGannon, Justin Graeme McMahan, Brian Thomas Osley, Tracey Ann Palazzo, Mark Edward Passa, Nancy Joyce Pelis, Scott Edward Perkins, George Alexander Smarz, Jr., Erik J. Smith, Anne Frances Spellacy, Michael Joseph St. Peters, Helmut K. Stahl, Amy Lee Symanski, Patricia L. Theberge, Debra Ann Vollinger, Michael Wilson and Ann Helen Zgrodnik

April Kozash, Vice President of the Class of 1987, in the graduation processional.



DOROTHY M. BREOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL
AND
DIRECTOR OF INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES

To the School Committee and Superintendent of Schools:

The following report is submitted for the Dorothy M. Breor Elementary School as well as Special Services for the Town of Hatfield for the period July 1, 1986 to June 30, 1987.

In beginning this report I would like to again reiterate that the successes we have achieved in our programs this year are largely attributable to the hard work and dedication of a talented and involved staff at both schools. Their care and attention to the development of a well-rounded informed child is commendable.

At the Elementary School the students fared well in testing programs. In the Stanford Achievement Tests our students averaged in the 91st percentile for reading and the 87th percentile for math as compared with national norms.

The Basic Skills Test administered by the State has not had statewide standards established as of this year; however, the majority of our 6th grade students passed at a 60 percent standard. Those few who did not had been previously identified and were enrolled in remedial programs.

The State-administered assessment tests were given to Grade 3 this past year in reading, math and science. In all three areas our students performed as well as students of similar backgrounds in other Massachusetts communities with the reading scores being above average.

Supplemental instruction was provided for 37 students in our Chapter One program (remedial reading) and 60 students in Special Education.

The Parent-Teacher Council, as in the past, provided many supplemental services invaluable to the school. Special thanks are due to the officers and chairpersons, Cheryl Curtis, Carol Jackewich, Janice Battey, Alice Gymrek, Gail Kopinto, Mary Ellen Dizek and Mary Cornell. The Playground Committee, coordinated by Rhonda Charpentier and Bill Childs, worked extremely hard to raise funds for a new playground. The following activities and materials were provided through the participation of the P.T.C.:

- Field trips to Arcadia Wildlife Sanctuary, Laughing Brook, Springfield Science Museum, Mystic Seaport, Worcester Science Center and Old Sturbridge Village
- Open House
- Secret Santa
- Help with Book Fair, school pictures, candy drive, rollerskating and chaperoning field trips
- Continued sponsorship of our Spelling Bee, Fun Night, Science Fair and Make Your Own Sundae Party
- Raising close to \$14,000 in funds to build a new playground (construction planned Spring of '88).

Breor Elementary School placed third in area schools for the Muscular Dystrophy's readathon and seven 6th-grade students qualified for the President's academic fitness awards.

Many special programs enriched the lives of students and staff last year. They included: Christmas Program, Arbor Day (Grade 5), Fun Night, Field Day and a performance of "Little Colt" by Little Flags Theatre. Also, the "Moving Up" program for Grade 6 was a great success. This was made possible by the generous donations of many community organizations and individuals too numerous to mention.

Our "Volunteer Recognition Luncheon" recognized the many volunteers, who through the valued donation of time, allow us to provide experiences for the children which otherwise would be impossible. To the following individuals and organizations we are especially grateful: Library Aides: Marian Dion, Diane Ponti, Nancy Rogalewski, Sue Jones, Denise Courtemanche and Barbara Adamcek; library books, materials and special programs, Breor P.T.C. and Hatfield Book Club; and Playground Committee, Rhonda Charpentier, Bill Childs, Betsy Tarr, Martha Cycz, Dennis Lavalley, John Diggins, Linda Vinelli, Connie Cronin, Nancy Rogaleski, Kitty Munley and Sandra Widelo.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND GRANTS

SPEECH AND LANGUAGE THERAPY

Approximately 20 students in preschool, elementary and secondary schools received remedial services for speech, language or listening skills. Of this group, approximately two-thirds receive help for language and listening with the remainder participating in the articulation program.

The Speech Language Pathologist participated in the audiometric and impedance testing of 52 preschool and elementary students. Of these children, six were referred for further audiometric testing.

SPECIAL SERVICE ELEMENTARY RESOURCE

During the past year, 22 students received tutorial and instructional services in the areas of reading, math, spelling, penmanship and general subject material. This is accomplished both by offering academic support of regular curriculum and individualized separate curriculums.

The staff is committed to providing services which facilitate a child being successful in the mainstream. We also feel that early identification and remediation of learning problems is essential to the future success of Hatfield's children. In this vein we continued our comprehensive screening and child search leading to the identification of several children in the 3-to-5-year range who experience developmental learning concerns. The areas screened covered fine motor, gross motor, cognitive development, speech and language, vision and hearing.

Two students at Breor Elementary School received occupational therapy services.

SPECIAL SERVICES SECONDARY RESOURCE

Twenty-five students at Smith Academy received special services, also in the areas of academic and individual curriculum needs.

For many students the Resource Room is a structured study. Students use this time for both individual and group tutoring. Basic skills are taught and reinforced, and help is offered in organizational skills, review for testing and completion of academic work.

Several students, in addition, receive individual instruction in basic skills subjects.

Monitoring and communication with staff and teachers are essential components of the resource room teacher's duties. Progress reports are sent at regular intervals and meetings planned as necessary.

PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

Seven students received individual counseling on a weekly basis and another 15 or so participated in either group or individual sessions throughout the year. Approximately 20 students received a comprehensive psycho-educational battery of tests as part of Special Education-mandated evaluations.

The cases that were seen ranged in service needs. Issues such as specific learning disabilities, school adjustment problems, inability to organize and complete assignments, attentional deficits, disruptive behavior and emotional/family problems were addressed. Home, school and staff liaison was a strong component of this program.

PRESCHOOL

The preschool program continues to be a self-supported program which falls under the jurisdiction of the School Committee. There are no Town funds which support this program. It was excellently run in 1986-87 by Mrs. Margaret Frieswyk who was ably assisted by Mrs. Rosemary Sadowski.

The program is essentially two programs: a 3-year-old program and a 4-year-old program. Enrollment in two sessions of 3-year-olds was 28 and 4-year-olds, 37. Registration again was a success with 62 students enrolling for September.

GRANTS

EARLY CHILDHOOD

An Early Childhood Grant of \$9,090 was granted through the State of Massachusetts Chapter 188 program. Through this grant the schools hired consultants to conduct a comprehensive needs assessment and teachers were trained through attending workshops and hearing guest speakers. From this study and Parent/Teacher Council meetings, several recommendations were made:

1. To move the Kindergarten entry age back to attaining age 5 by August 31. (This is to be accomplished in two yearly steps.)
2. To implement a developmentally based curriculum for the 1987-88 school year in the Kindergarten.
3. To continue teacher training in Developmental Curriculum.

Another grant for \$36,200 was applied for and received to implement goals two and three. This will include complete renovation of the Kindergarten, new books and materials, as well as continued teacher training. This will occur during the school year 1987-1988.

GIFTED AND TALENTED

A \$5,000 grant also funded through Chapter 188 was granted to Hatfield to investigate the programming needs of the Gifted and Talented population. Through council meetings and a mailed needs assessment the following recommendations were made:

1. To continue training teachers in methods which would allow them to challenge gifted and talented children through classroom curriculum.
2. To develop an after-school pilot program offering mini-courses in areas perceived as needs (particularly visual and performing arts). This program would not be limited to those areas but hopefully would include them. Enrollment in courses would be encouraged to all interested and motivated students and not limited to children who perform well on standardized testing.

This program will be made possible by another \$5,000 Chapter 188 Grant implemented during school year 1987-88.

In conclusion I wish to again express my gratitude to all the staff and parents, as well as the children of Hatfield who make my job as an educational leader enjoyable and fulfilling.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda E. Driscoll
Principal Breor Elementary
Director of Instructional Services

SCHOOL HEALTH

As required by law, physical examinations have been completed. All students in Grades 4, 7, 11 and all athletes were examined. Two students were referred for further evaluation. Children in the Kindergarten class received their examinations from their own physicians.

Vision and hearing tests were given to the students in all grades. There were 15 who failed the vision retest and were referred for further evaluation and received correction. There were five students who failed the Pure Tone Hearing Test and were seen by a physician.

Communicable diseases reported during the year were: chicken pox, 23; and scarlet fever, 3.

Registration for Kindergarten was held in May. There were 39 children in attendance.

The Flouride Mouth Rinse Program has been extended for this school year. There were 215 children who participated on a weekly basis.

Postural screening was done in Grades 5 to 9. Of the 175 who were screened, five were referred for further evaluation and were found to have scoliosis and are undergoing treatment. As required by law, the immunization status of those students who were lacking the necessary boosters was updated.

I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of countless parents and students, to express our deepest appreciation to Dr. Alfred J. Kaiser who retired in January after serving 40 years as School Physician. He served us all with great dedication, warmth and compassion. His availability and commitment to the well-being of the students will always be remembered.

Respectfully submitted,
Lucille H. Godek, R.N.
School Nurse

SCHOOL ORGANIZATION

ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Francis L. Gougeon, Superintendent/Principal, St. Mary's University, B.A.
Springfield College, M. Ed.
Mr. Frank Abarno, Smith Academy Co-principal, University of Massachusetts, B.A.
Springfield College, M. Ed.
Ms. Linda Driscoll, Principal Breor School, University of Massachusetts (Boston), B.A.
University of Massachusetts, M. Ed.

FACULTY 1986-1987

Ms. Susan Albino, University of Massachusetts, M.A.
Mrs. Michelle Bergeron, Westfield State College, B.A.
Mr. Wayne Buckhout, University of Massachusetts, B.S.
Mrs. Karen Czerniak, Westfield State College, B.S.
Mr. Michael Cadran, University of Massachusetts, B.A.
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Mr. Alan Cohen, University of Massachusetts, B.A.
Ms. Maxine Denisiewicz, Leslie College, B.S.
Mr. James Devlin, Fairfield University, B.A.
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Mr. Stephen Erikson, Bates College, B.S.
Mrs. Margaret Frieswyk, Our Lady of the Elms, B.A.
Mr. Giles Hopkins, State University of New York, B.A.
Ms. Sarah Ingram, University of Massachusetts, B.A.
American International College, M.B.A.
Mrs. Dorcas Jepson, Colby College, B.A.
University of Massachusetts, M.A.T.
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Mr. Joseph Savage, St. Michael's College, B.A.
Mr. John Schott, Bryant College, B.S.
Mrs. Lois Siegel, Mount Holyoke, B.A.
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Simmons College, M.S.L.S.
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Mrs. Joyce Tousey, University of Michigan, B.S. & M.A.
Mr. John Warchol, University of Massachusetts, B.A.
Westfield State College, M. Ed.
Ms. Sherry Webb, Bridgewater State College, B.S.
Mr. Alan Wolejko, North Adams State College, B.S.
University of Massachusetts, M.S.
Mrs. Dianne Wolejko, North Adams State College, B.S.
Mrs. Christine Yagodzinski, Westfield State College, B.S. & M.A.

Mr. Leonard Yarrows, University of Massachusetts, B.S.
Westfield State College, M. Ed.
Ms. Nancy Zabka, Salem State College, B.A.

STAFF

Ms. Brenda Kempisty, Secretary, Smith Academy, 247-5641
Mrs. Barbara Petcen, Secretary, Smith Academy, 247-5641
Mrs. Barbara Abrahamson, Secretary, Breor Elementary, 247-5010
Mrs. Lucille Godek, R.N., School Nurse, 247-5010
Dr. William R. Smith, School Physician, 247-5641
Mr. Edward Potyrala, Custodian, Smith Academy, 247-5641
Mr. Joseph Szych, Custodian, Smith Academy, 247-5641
Mr. Paul Kukucka, Custodian, Breor Elementary, 247-5010

Lapienski Bus Company, Transportation, Hatfield & Smith Vocational

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

To the School Committee and Residents of Hatfield:

The Cafeteria Staff consists of the following personnel: Mrs. Barbara Petcen, Food Service Manager; Mrs. Mary Hoffman, Head Cook, Elementary School; Mrs. Christine Hanks, Co-Head Cook, Secondary School; Mrs. Mary Vachula, Co-Head Cook, Secondary School; Mrs. Kathleen Brodeur, Mrs. Lynn Gagnon, Mrs. Patricia Giroux and Mrs. Louise Holhut.

The total number of meals prepared and served was 42,418 of which 40,660 were student meals, 386 student workers' meals and 1,372 paid adult meals. Of this total, 36,120 were student paid meals, 2,401 student reduced-price meals and 2,139 student free meals. The price of a lunch is \$.85 at the Secondary School and \$.75 at the Elementary School. The cost for adult meals is \$1.35 and reduced lunch for students is \$.40. The total number of days served was 173.

Due to vacancies because of illness or retirement, Lynn Gagnon was hired as a food preparation worker at Smith Academy and remained in that position until December when she left for another position; Kathleen Brodeur replaced her. At the Elementary level, Wanda Shea took a year's leave of absence and Patricia Giroux was hired to fill that position.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Barbara Petcen
Food Service Manager

SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

	1986-87	1987-88		1986-87	1987-88
Kindergarten	31	37	Seventh Grade	31	36
First Grade	51	31	Eighth Grade	29	31
Second Grade	35	51	Ninth Grade	37	29
Third Grade	31	35	Tenth Grade	44	37
Fourth Grade	28	31	Eleventh Grade	34	44
Fifth Grade	26	28	Twelfth Grade	49	34
Sixth Grade	36	26			

1987-1988 SCHOOL CALENDAR

September 1	Initial Staff Meeting
September 2	First Day of School
September 7	Labor Day - No School
September 16	Curriculum Day - Dismiss at 11:15 a.m. (Elementary) Dismiss at 11:45 a.m. (Secondary)
October 12	Columbus Day - No School
October 14	Curriculum Day - Dismiss at 11:15 a.m. (Elementary) Dismiss at 11:45 a.m. (Secondary)
November 11	Veteran's Day - No School
November 18	Curriculum Day - Dismiss at 11:15 a.m. (Elementary) Dismiss at 11:45 a.m. (Secondary)
November 25 (½ day) - 27	Thanksgiving Recess - No School
December 24 - January 4	Mid-Winter Vacation - No School
January 18	Martin Luther King Day - No School
January 20	Curriculum Day - Dismiss at 11:15 a.m. (Elementary) Dismiss at 11:45 a.m. (Secondary)
February 15 - 19	Winter Vacation - No School
March 9	Curriculum Day - Dismiss at 11:15 a.m. (Elementary) Dismiss at 11:45 a.m. (Secondary)
April 1	Good Friday - No School
April 13	Curriculum Day - Dismiss at 11:15 a.m. (Elementary) Dismiss at 11:45 a.m. (Secondary)
April 18 - 22	Spring Vacation - No School
May 18	Curriculum Day - Dismiss at 11:15 a.m. (Elementary) Dismiss at 11:45 a.m. (Secondary)
May 20	Memorial Day - No School
June 14	Projected last day if no school cancellations (180)
June 21	Last day of school less unused snow days (185)

MORE MILESTONES



The first outside phone in Town's center was installed across from the Town Hall. A Town secretary, Jean Belden, gives it a test.



Dedication of the new \$5.7 million Wastewater Treatment Plant was held in August.



Postmaster Theresa Lacey is showing Brownies the operation of the Post Office. This year is the 75th anniversary of the founding of Girl Scouting.

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Emergency Numbers

To Report a Fire	253-3433
Fire Department, Non-emergency	247-9001
Ambulance	253-3433
Local Police Emergency	247-9222
Local Police, Non-emergency	247-9455
State Police	584-3000

TOWN OFFICES

Town Hall	247-9200
	247-9211

(Assessors, Town Collector, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Town Accountant, Selectmen, Inspection Services, Sewer Department, Water Department, Planning Board, Board of Health, Secretaries)

Council on Aging	247-9003
Senior Citizens Meal Site	247-9959
Town Landfill	247-5515

Hours: Compactor, Mon. & Wed., 1 to 6 p.m.; Sat., 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Highway Department	247-5646
Sewage Treatment Plant	247-9844
Housing Authority	247-9202
Public Library	247-9097

Hours: When School is in Session: Mon. & Fri., 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. & 6:45 to 9 p.m.; Wed., 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. *School Vacation Weeks:* Mon. (unless holiday) 6:45 to 9 p.m.; Wed., 2 to 4:30 p.m.; Fri., 6:45 to 9 p.m. *Summer Hours:* Tues., 2 to 4:30 and 6:45 to 9 p.m.; Fri., 6:45 to 9 p.m.

SCHOOLS

Breor Elementary	247-5010
Smith Academy	247-5641

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Dorothy M. Breor Elementary School, 33 Main Street, Hatfield, MA 01038
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